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FILMS LOST IN FIRE AT CENSOR OFFICE



VALUABLE film records of Irish history since the foundation of the State were destroyed by fire at the Film Censor's office, Molesworth street, Dublin, yesterday morning. The picture above shows the office. Mr. P. Evans, who was in the room at the time, is on the right.

Thought to be irreplaceable, the historical films included records of political personalities at various stages of their careers, notable football and Rugby matches, and various public events.

Dr. Richard Hayes, the Film Censor, was in his office at about 11.30 a.m. watching a film, when shouting from the basement, where the fire occurred, warned him of the outbreak.

Damage was not extensive, and work will resume this morning. Some window panes were broken and doors scorched. The historical films were in two steel cabinets, which were destroyed.

The only full-length feature film to suffer was "Happy Go Lucky," scheduled for screening at the Adelphi Cinema on May 7. New copies of this technicolour production, starring Mary Martin, Rudee Vales, and Dick Powell, may arrive in time, despite celluloid shortage and difficulty in reproducing technicolour films.

A quantity of rejected "cuts" was destroyed, and it has been suggested that internal combustion among these "cuts" caused the fire. "They were so hot that they set fire to themselves," remarked an observer.

Electioneering Activity In All Party Camps

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

CONSIDERABLE progress has been made at all the Party Headquarters with arrangements for the coming general election. There is now hardly any doubt that the election will take place, and that some time in June will be the date.

Local branches of the Fianna Fail organisation have completed their selections of candidates, and these will be submitted to constituency conventions during May, when a further scrutiny will be made. Decisions made at these conventions will be subject to endorsement by the governing body of the organisation.

In regard to the important matter of putting forward candidates, the organisation of Fianna Fail is much more drastic in its regulations than any of the other parties. Fianna Fail will put forward over 90 candidates. At the last general election it nominated 84 and secured 77 seats. None of its candidates lost their deposits of £100.

Fine Gael has not yet completed its selections, but its candidates will number approximately 94. A convention will be held in Galway city to-day, and the remaining conventions as soon as possible.

The Labour Party will put up over eighty, but it is not possible yet to say how many will be nominated by the Farmers' Party or the Independents.

Dublin Social Services

The City Manager, Mr. P. J. Hernon, will receive a deputation from the municipal group of the Labour Party this morning to discuss aspects of the estimates for 1943-44, including relief work schemes, Rialto Hospital, Clonskea Fever Hospital, Charles street Dispensary, and diphtheria immunisation.

Church Bells to Ring

Mr. Churchill, in the House of Commons yesterday, told Mr. Arthur Greenwood (Labour) that the War Cabinet, after receiving the advice of the Chiefs of Staff, had reached the conclusion that church bells should be rung on Sundays and other special days to summon worshippers to church. The new arrangement would be brought into effect in time for the Easter celebrations.



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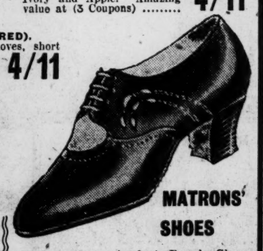
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Eighth Army Attack on Enfidaville Line

AXIS POSITIONS BREACHED

THE British Eighth Army has launched an attack on the Enfidaville "line," 50 miles south-east of Tunis, said an official announcement from General Eisenhower's headquarters late last night.

According to a "Voice of America" broadcast to France from Algiers a little earlier, General Montgomery's renewed assault had already breached the Axis defences, and the Allied offensive was continuing.

Captain Ludwig Sertorius, the German military radio commentator, said that heavy fighting beyond the scale of local engagements was in progress, following Allied artillery fire on Monday, which developed into a barrage of great intensity during the night.

"Outer Perimeter of Tunis"

The communiqué issued from Allied Headquarters, North Africa, last night said:—"The Eighth Army attacked last night and has penetrated the Enfidaville position. Heavy fighting continues."

General Montgomery's advance guards reached the Enfidaville line—it has been called the outer perimeter of Tunis—on April 13. Nature has endowed it with great strength in depth and valuable mountain positions stretching from Pont du Fahs almost down to the coast. For the past week General Montgomery has been preparing an assault.

"FINAL BATTLE" OPENS

Reuter's Special Correspondent at Allied Headquarters cabled early to-day:—The final battle for Tunis has begun. Last night the tension, which has grown along the whole front for almost a week, snapped.

The Eighth Army began another heavy barrage, and British infantry began to move across the moon-flooded fields and olive orchards to Marshal Rommel's last refuge in the mountain ranges.

Hacking their way through dense, bushy undergrowth, and dashing for cover across open expanses of country, the infantrymen moved forward in short, sharp, hard-fought charges. Ahead of them were the flashes of the German counter-barrage, and clouds of smoke and dust were thrown up as the German gun positions and machine-gun posts were shelled.

ALL-NIGHT FIGHTING

In some of the fiercest fighting in the North African war the battle raged all night and into the day. At some points along the front British infantry had last night established themselves a few miles from the Axis lines. Between them and the Germans "no man's" land, mined with meticulous care by the Germans, and offering little natural cover, was swept by cross-fire.

As the roar of the first guns was signalled at zero hour lines of mules—the first time that this form of transport has been used by the Eighth Army—were driven forward, carrying light artillery to assist the infantry in consolidating their gains.

Fighting may now develop into some of the heaviest exchanges of the whole campaign.

No precise details of the direction or main weight of the attack are yet available, but the scanty news received last night indicates that General Montgomery, as at El Alamein and Mareth, again decided to storm the Axis seaward flank.

Captain Dadwig Sertorius, German radio commentator, stated last night:—

"In the southern sector of the Tunisian bridgehead there are at present heavy clashes, which, apparently, go beyond local engagements. After many British batteries had during yesterday started to find the range of the Axis positions, the enemy's artillery fire accelerated to great intensity during the night.

"These preparations were intensified this morning by some attacks by strong infantry and tank formations, which met a strong defence. Two extended fights developed, which were still going on at noon to-day.

"It cannot be said for the moment whether this is the beginning of the expected new mass attack of the British Eighth Army or a forceful scouting attempt. Montgomery's tactics are known to consist of sending at the beginning a first attacking wave, and then, according to the success or failure of the enterprise, to follow at once with the mass of his forces or to make a new fighting pause.

"In the Western sector activity also shows a somewhat livelier character. During Monday several minor attacks by the British First Army against German heights were repulsed."

Fierce fighting developed on Monday on the south-eastern flank in Tunisia after long-drawn-out artillery preparation by the Eighth Army, the German News Agency stated.

"The attack, in which strong British infantry formations also took part, reached its climax during the bright moonlight night and during the early morning of Tuesday, during which the British suffered very heavy losses in men and material.

"Only a few individual groups of General Montgomery's troops succeeded in reaching the advanced Axis positions. They were, however, thrown back in vigorous counter-thrusts.

"The British made repeated attempts to break through at various points, but by dawn the Axis lines were held in their entirety and the British withdrew to their original positions."

British troops have seized the Kerkenna Islands, off the Tunisian coast, sixteen miles east of Sfax, states an Associated Press of America despatch from Sfax quoted by Reuter. The islands had been evacuated by the Axis, and were occupied last Wednesday by troops for security reasons. The operation was carried out without loss of life or a shot being fired.

Over the Gulf of Tunis Allied fighters shot down 12 Junkers 52s and two Savoia 79s. A Junkers 87 with a glider attached was also destroyed.

Grounded Axis transport 'planes and fighters have also been bombed at Korba airfield and at Soliman and Croteville landing grounds, in the Tunisian forward area.—(Reuter, A.P. and P.A.)

ROOSEVELT ON WAR TOUR

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT is making a second major inspection of America's war efforts. He has seen tens of thousands of troops which, he indicated, will be used for a second front in Europe.

Already Mr. Roosevelt has visited aviation fields and Army camps in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Arkansas.—(Reuter.)

THE FAN DANCERS



Una Brady, C. O'Keeffe and Nora Graham, who did a fan dance at the Drill Display, St. Louis Convent, Rathmines.

BOMBS ON LONDON AREA

An alert sounded in London shortly after dark last night. Aircraft were heard and anti-aircraft guns opened fire immediately. It was the second alert within three nights. The barrage was fierce and widespread. Flashes of shell explosions in the sky could be seen in outer districts. In one district the gunfire was heard before the sirens.

A raider was followed over one district by tracer shells. The new defences compelled it to twist and dodge.

Bombs fell in two districts.

The single raider which passed over the London area was flying very high, but was "spotted" by searchlights.

Earlier in the night the British Air Ministry had stated:—"An enemy aircraft was destroyed by one of our fighters over the outer Thames estuary this morning. Otherwise there has been nothing to report during daylight."

A high-explosive bomb which fell in one district of Greater London damaged several houses by blast and injured a few people, none seriously. One person was killed in another district when an anti-aircraft shell fell in a garden. What was thought at first to be a bomb in one district proved to be an anti-aircraft shell which struck a building and injured two people. There were two other cases of slight damage by anti-aircraft shells. No person was hurt when a bomb fell in the roadway in an outer London area.

MURDER TRIAL DEFENCE

OPENING the case for the defence in the Athy wife murder case in Dublin yesterday, Sir John L. Esmonde, K.C., suggested that the killing took place under such mitigating circumstances as to warrant the arraignment of his client on a manslaughter charge in the first instance. Certainly the elements in law that should be present in a murder case were absent, he contended.

Pleading not guilty to the murder of his wife, Mary, on the morning of December 10 last, is John Cullen, 47 years old farm labourer, of Gallowshill, Athy, Co. Kildare. The State allege that she died as a result of a savage beating inflicted by her husband.

Addressing the jury yesterday, Sir John suggested that at no time was there any intention on his client's part to do anything he thought would, or could, bring about his wife's death. He disclosed that he proposed putting Cullen in the witness box to give evidence on his own behalf on oath. Yesterday was the second day at hearing of the case, which is being tried before Mr. Justice Overend at the Central Criminal Court, Green street, Dublin.

CAUSE OF DEATH

Dr. John McGrath, State Pathologist, said that a *post-mortem* examination made on December 10 revealed that death was due to shock and haemorrhage following rupture of the spleen. His examination disclosed a deep forehead wound surrounded by widespread bruising, eight bruises distributed down the length of the right side, and diffused deep bruising about nine inches by four inches on the left side. The abdomen contained several pints of blood, while the spleen was ruptured virtually along its entire length.

In his opinion, it would require very considerable violence to cause this rupture; he did not think that an ordinary fall, due to a trip, could have caused it. Admittedly, the injury could have been caused by the deceased's body coming into extremely violent contact with a table in her bedroom, but it was most unlikely. The body bruises could have been caused by blows from a fist or by a kick.

Dr. John Kilbride, Athy Dispensary District Medical Officer, who concurred with Dr. McGrath's evidence, said that when he motored out to Cullen's house at about 4 a.m. on December 10, Mary Cullen was already dead, and apparently had been so for at least an hour. He had been called to the case by Cullen, who told him "that his wife was very ill; that she had got a fit; and that he thought she was dying." He personally notified the Guards of her death later that morning.

Sergeant Robert Hayes, Athy, said that in conversation with him Cullen remarked: "I gave her a push and she fell against the trunk." Later, when taken into custody and cautioned, Cullen made the statement read out by State Counsel the previous day.

Supt. John Feore, Carlow, said that when he charged Cullen with his wife's murder on the evening of her death, he replied: "I don't want to say anything, only I would like the children to be looked after and fed. I made a statement to the sergeant to-day and it is correct."

JURY: NO THEATRE

At the outset of the case yesterday Mr. Justice Overend expressed regret to the foreman of the jury that the High Sheriff had been unable to procure the necessary petrol to bring the jury for a drive. While he could not allow them to go to a theatre, they could go for a walk later in the evening, provided they were accompanied by their police guard.

Mr. R. McLoughlin, K.C., and Mr. J. Farrell (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) prosecuted; Sir John L. Esmonde, K.C., and Mr. T. F. O'Higgins (instructed by Mr. P. J. O'Neill, solicitor, Athy) defended.

Envoy Says "Great Happenings Brewing"

ENVOY'S PROPHECY

M. Maisky, the Soviet Ambassador, predicted in London yesterday that the next six or seven months "will have the greatest significance in the history of the war. Armies, navies and air forces of the Allied nations are feverishly preparing for the coming event. Great happenings are brewing in various parts of Europe."

M. Maisky was presenting, at the Soviet Embassy, Soviet decorations to British officers and seamen who have sailed in the Northern convoys to Russia.

He added this warning:—"We must not deceive ourselves. It is still a far cry to our final victory. There will be needed the greatest possible concentration of all Allied forces, military, political and economic, and the most harmonious use of all kinds of arms which we have at our disposal."

Ten Years and "Cat" for Belfast Youths

Found guilty of the possession of firearms and ammunition with intent to endanger life, Albert O'Rawe (19), Oakman street, Belfast, and John McGuigan (20), Malcomson street, were each sentenced at Belfast City Commission yesterday to ten years' penal servitude, and twelve strokes of the "cat" within six months.

The charge arose out of an early morning gun battle in Cawnpore street, Belfast, in the course of which O'Rawe was wounded by the police.

Passing sentence, Lord Justice Babbington declared that they could count themselves lucky that the sentence was not one of death. "You were out on that occasion with murder in your hearts," he said, "and it is a pure accident that you are not here on the capital charge."

100,000 Axis Troops Massed For Big Battle In The Kuban

HERR HITLER'S Generals have massed between eight and ten divisions—more than 100,000 men—in the Taman tip of the Kuban for the great battle to save their last corner of the North Caucasus, says Reuter's Special Correspondent in Moscow.

German counter-attacks there are growing steadily stronger, although the Germans are still fighting an essentially defensive action. The powerful forces in the Taman Peninsula, which include two or three Panzer divisions, are being strongly supported by large Luftwaffe concentrations operating from the Crimea.

The immediate object of the German attacks is the recapture of the key heights seized by the Red Army on Friday. But the wider aim is to anticipate, and, if possible, disorganise any offensive by General Tulenieve's army, which would drive the Axis from Novorossisk and finally across the Kerch Straits. In the past 24 hours tightly-crammed German tanks and infantry have made another unsuccessful assault. In the initial stage Soviet guardsmen, heavily outnumbered, had to give ground, but they counter-attacked strongly and flung back the attackers to their starting point.

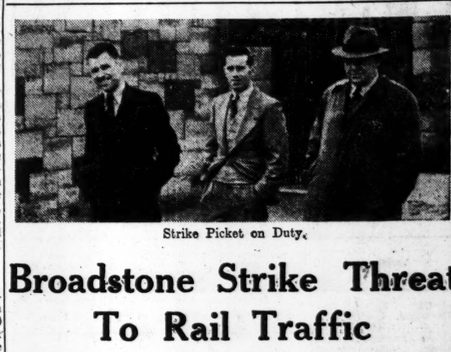
Along the Upper Donetz, too, the Red Army is keeping firmly dug in, especially in the area east of Kharkov, between Izum and Byelgorod. The Germans have made no serious attempt in the past few days to hit again at the Russian bridgehead along the right bank. The Russians, on the other hand, have extended their grip and taken new ground. A German attempt in the past 24 hours to drive a wedge into the Soviet defences was cut short by Soviet artillery.

On the Volkhov front, below Leningrad, Soviet and German guns are engaged in violent artillery duels. The Soviet batteries in the past 24 hours have destroyed two German batteries and killed about 200 troops.

GERMAN REPORTS

German radio admitted last night that Soviet troops on the Donetz front had broken into the trenches on the German bridgehead south-east of Byelgorod in a night attack. The Soviet forces were said to have attacked with forces more than 1,500 strong.

German radio also said that floods on the Volkhov front had forced the Germans to take up new positions. "Communications between forward strong points are being carried on by motor boats," the radio added.—(Reuter.)



Strike Picket on Duty.

Broadstone Strike Threat To Rail Traffic

THE strike of fitters and turners at Broadstone may spread, with a consequent threat to railway traffic generally.

Broadstone would be the first terminus seriously to become affected, a reporter was told. Everything depends on the maintenance of the briquette plant. In the case of Inchicore the plant was only recently overhauled. Should the supervising staffs attempt to carry out necessary repairs in the event of a breakdown of one or either plant, the engine-drivers have resolved to "down tools."

In addition to the fitters and turners, to the number of 300, members of three engineering unions, and the National Union of Railwaymen, a number of garage mechanics has come out.

Meetings of shop stewards were held yesterday at Inchicore and Broadstone, when plans for the prosecution of the strike were discussed, and negotiating, strike and picket committees were formed. The pickets were on duty yesterday.

A detective officer visited Inchicore and took a statement from a steward regarding the cause and effect of the dispute.

The trouble arose when piecework was abolished. The men are seeking a rate of 2s. 3d. per hour with conditions. The railway company are offering 2s., without conditions. The removal of conditions, the men hold, would worsen their position. Higher rates are paid to the men at Inchicore than to those at Broadstone.

Mr. Lemass, Minister for Industry and Commerce, a reporter was told, stated to a deputation that he was not in a position to deal with the matter until the return of Mr. Reynolds, who is stated to be ill.

Trains ran as usual yesterday.

The places of the charge hands in the briquette plant at Inchicore were taken over last night by members of the supervisory staff.

Backing Train Hits Bookstall

Two girl bookstall attendants narrowly escaped injury at Amiens street railway station, Dublin, yesterday, when the last coach of a North-bound train, which was being backed in to Platform 2, over-ran and splintered the buffers and ripped the back out of Messrs. Eason's bookstall.

Books and magazines were scattered over the platform and the permanent way, and two wheels of the coach left the track. No damage was done to the bookstall stock, which was transferred by evening to another stall across the main hall. Railwaymen still were busy last evening jacking the coach on sleepers to put it back upon the rails.

PRICES OF POTATOES FIXED

THE Minister for Supplies has made an Order fixing maximum prices for potatoes ranging from 1s. 6d. to 1s. 10d. a stone.

It is understood that the Department of Supplies is making every effort to obtain supplies from districts where potatoes are likely to be available.

The municipal group of the Labour Party has not received any reply to its telegram to Mr. Lemass on Sunday, since when the position has become worse.

Senate Passes Four Bills

ALLOWANCES to the widows and children of soldiers who died on service with the Defence Forces was the main subject discussed in the Senate yesterday before the House adjourned *sine die*.

At the beginning of business the President's message stating that he declined to sign the School Attendance Bill, because of the Supreme Court's decision that a section of the Bill was repugnant to the Constitution was read by the Chairman.

Various recommendations to the Minister for Defence, Mr. Oscar Traynor, for changes in the Army Pensions Bill were defeated on divisions. The recommendations were all put forward by Mr. Michael Hayes, who said that he could not see why the Minister had not adopted for the Army the same principle as obtained for the L.D.F. and A.R.P. services.

The MINISTER said that children's allowances would cease at a certain age, but pensions would continue with the life of the holder.

BILL CRITICISED

Mr. J. G. DOUGLAS said that a higher rate of pension could be afforded, and the Minister explained that the income of widows would be brought up to what it was while the husbands were alive by the widows' and orphans' pensions.

Various senators criticised the lack of special provision for large families.

To Mr. Hayes, the Minister said that an officer need not be on the establishment for his wife and children to benefit if he were killed, but a soldier needed to be on the married strength. Soldiers could be on the married strength at 23 years of age with two years' service. The widow of a man who had joined the army at 21 and married at 22 and who was killed before reaching the 23 years would not benefit. The State could not be responsible for dependents of men who married against the regulations.

The Minister said that any man "boarded" out of the army had the right to claim a pension. Many of these men who had to leave the army as unfit were not necessarily unfit by civilian standards. Men who could not prove that they had contracted any disease from army service would not be entitled to a pension.

The bill passed its final stages and was ordered to be sent to the Dail.

OTHER BILLS

The General Elections (Emergency Provisions) Bill, 1943, passed all stages.

On the second stage of the Solicitors Bill, 1943, the MINISTER FOR JUSTICE, Mr. Boland, told Mr. Counihan that he was considering the question of making it obligatory for a solicitor to take out a fidelity bond to guarantee money held for a client.

The bill passed all stages.

Mr. S. MOYLAN, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Local Government, said, on the second stage of the District of Fergus Drainage Bill, 1943, that it was hoped to introduce in the near future a bill dealing with arterial drainage all over the country.

The bill passed all stages.

ACTION AGAINST JUDGE NOT MAINTAINABLE

ON a motion to stay proceedings, Mr. Justice Martin Maguire in the High Court, Dublin, yesterday, dismissed with costs, an action brought by Messrs. C. E. Macaulay and Co., Ltd., wool merchants, Haymarket, Dublin, against Circuit Court Judge Charles Wyse Power, Wellington road, Dublin, claiming damages for alleged slander.

The motion asked that the action be dismissed with costs on the grounds that the statement of claim disclosed no cause of action, that the action was not maintainable in law, and that it was vexatious and an abuse of the process of the Court.

Mr. Cecil Lavery, K.C., Mr. Brereton Barry, K.C., and Mr. T. F. Bacon (instructed by Messrs. Corrigan and Corrigan) appeared for Judge Wyse Power; and Mr. J. A. Costello, K.C., Mr. R. McGonigal, K.C., and Mr. E. S. Robinson (instructed by Messrs. Casey, Clay and Collins) for Messrs. Macaulay and Co., Ltd.

The words complained of were, said Mr. Lavery, alleged to have been spoken at the Courthouse, Galway, on January 19 last, and in his submission, in the circumstances in which they were spoken, if they were spoken, the cause of action was not maintainable, as it was protected by the absolute privilege which surrounded a judge in the discharge of his judicial duties. The words were spoken, if at all, by the Judge while sitting in the court, and in the discharge of his official duties in the trial of a case before him.

PRIVILEGED

Mr. Lavery said that his submission was that any words so spoken were protected, not in the interests of the judge, but in the interests of the public, from any inquiry in a court of law, whether they were or were not false, defamatory or malicious, and that the interests of the public required that a judge should have such an absolute privilege as would prevent anything said by him being drawn into question in any legal proceedings whatever, except, of course, a proper appeal brought from his decision. An affidavit had been filed by Mr. Charles E. Macaulay, managing director of the firm, speaking of the high standing of the firm, and saying that the statements attributed to the Circuit Judge were unfounded. These matters, on his submission, were not the subject of inquiry in that Court.

It appeared from the affidavit that Mr. Macaulay was not present in Court at the time when the words were spoken, but it was the contention of Messrs. Macaulay that the words formed no part of the judgment or the proceedings in the action before the Court.

Mr. Lavery said that if the relief he sought were granted it would finally determine the rights of the parties, and there was legal authority for the proposition that evidence of information and belief ought not to be raised. The privilege he spoke of covered not only judges but magistrates, witnesses, officials of the Court, advocates.

PLAINTIFF'S REPLY

Mr. Costello, for Messrs. Macaulay and Co., Ltd., said that he freely admitted the proposition that a judge of an inferior court had an absolute privilege when acting within his jurisdiction. Mr. Lavery had, however, given no authority for the proposition that the present motion could be sustained, and he submitted that, on the authorities, it was unsustainable. Mr. Lavery had not produced one single instance in this country where an effort had been made to stay proceedings in a case of this kind, where the statement of claim, on its face, disclosed a cause of action, and where the defendant had not filed a defence. In every case where an application was made to the Court to stay proceedings it was by way of demurrer on the pleadings. The whole point of the present motion was to short-circuit the endeavours of Messrs. Macaulay publicly to refute the false charges made against them.

Mr. Justice Martin Maguire—In the absence of a plea of justification or any suggestion that these words could be justified, surely the presumption in law is that they are false and untrue.

Mr. Costello—Yes, but we had to put it on affidavit that they are untrue, because the defendant has not put in a defence pleading privilege.

Mr. Justice Martin Maguire—What can you possibly hope to gain by this action?

"ENTITLED TO TRIAL"

Mr. Costello—What we hope to do is to show that these highly defamatory and untrue remarks were not made in the course of judicial proceedings. The plaintiffs will contend that the words complained of were uttered after judgment had been given, and it will be our contention that they were uttered in such circumstances as preclude them from being protected by the absolute judicial privilege. Even if the defendant were sitting on the Bench, the circumstances in which the words were uttered took away the privilege, and we submit we are entitled to have a trial on the basis as to whether or not the words were spoken within the limits of judicial privilege.

The judicial privilege, as laid down by Mr. Justice Dodd, was, said Mr. Costello, the privilege of the public and not of the judge himself, and he suggested that it ought to be administered in favour of a member of the public who had been defamed. Where the words complained of were uttered after judgment had been pronounced it was proper that the matter should be inquired into.

"SERIOUS SLANDER"

Mr. McGonigal said that the slander was a very extreme one. It was slandered the plaintiff firm and its directors. The exact words complained of had not been read by Mr. Lavery, but they disclosed that the defendant advised, in the strongest words possible, that the people of Connaught should have nothing to do with "this disreputable firm." That was, of course, a very serious slander.

Mr. Justice Martin Maguire—Nobody is suggesting that it could be justified. On the record you have established that it is untrue.

Mr. Brereton Barry suggested that the abuse of the procedure of the Court, which, he said, this action represented, was the institution of an action which must inevitably fail. Judges had used different words in dealing with such an action—for instance, words such as frivolous and vexatious—not in the sense that the persons bringing such actions did not labour under a legitimate sense of grievance, but that their actions were not maintainable in law and were, therefore, vexatious uses of legal procedure. The submission made that the words were uttered by a judge discharging his official duty ended, he suggested, any hope of success in the action.

COURT'S RULING

Mr. Justice Martin Maguire said that he was satisfied that the words complained of occurred in the course of the exercise by Circuit Judge Wyse Power of his judicial duties. There was a long line of legal authority, going back into the days of remotest antiquity, that no action would lie against a judge, and that it was better that an individual should occasionally suffer the wrong than that the general cause of justice should be defeated and fettered by constant and perpetual restraint and apprehension of those who had to administer justice. This was generally referred to as judicial privilege. It was not really a judicial privilege; it was a privilege of the people who were entitled to have their cases heard and to have the free expression of the opinion of the judge, unfettered in any way by the fear that what he might say could be challenged elsewhere.

He was not prepared to hold that the action brought by Messrs. Macaulay was frivilous or vexatious in the popular sense. He thought they had brought the action *bona fide* for the purpose of establishing their character and reputation, which were unquestionably assailed in the words complained of. There was no plea of justification, nor was there any suggestion that these words could be justified, and in those circumstances the law presumed the falsehood of the words complained of. In such circumstances he could not hold, and did not hold, that this action, brought about a serious matter of this kind, was vexatious. It was right to say that he had not been asked to hold that the action was frivilous, but he was satisfied that it was not maintainable in law, and that, in accordance with the inherent jurisdiction of the Court, he should make an order dismissing the action at that stage.

Irish Shipping Company May Close

As the Government has refrained to offer any aid to the Dublin and Silloth Steamship Company, the company is about to close down. This was stated at a meeting of the Irish Live Stock Exporters' and Traders' Association, Ltd., held in Dublin last night. The company came into operation in 1929. For fifty years previous to 1929 the line had been known as the Old Sloan Line.

Mr. Leo Ferris said that it was the only Irish shipping company of its kind in existence. The idea behind the company when it was formed was not to make a profit, but to keep the British from raising the freight. But now, owing to the emergency, they were running the service at a loss, but when the emergency is over it would be resumed.

Mr. Ferris said that they were running the ships for the benefit of the farmers, but if the company ceased to exist it would be the farmers and the producers who would have to pay the increase. The directors of the company would meet to-day to consider the matter. It was decided to await the results of to-day's meeting before taking any further action.

Mr. Birmingham said that the company had received a letter from the Department of Industry and Commerce saying that they could not take any action in the matter. The closing down of the service would be a loss to the port of Dublin and also to over thirty working people. The ship made a trip twice a week to the Isle of Man and to Silloth, bringing over 1,000 cattle per week on these trips.



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EMERGENCY POWERS (POTATOES) (MAXIMUM PRICES) ORDER, 1943.

It has come to the notice of the Minister for Supplies that unnecessarily high prices are being charged for potatoes. The Minister has accordingly found it necessary to make an Order, entitled as above, fixing maximum prices as follows for ware potatoes of the 1942 crop:—

MAXIMUM PRICES IN COUNTY BOROUGHS OF DUBLIN AND CORK AND BOROUGH OF DUN LAOGHAIRE.

Variety. (1)	Maximum Price per ton when sold to Wholesale Merchant. (2)	Maximum Price per ton when sold to Retail Merchant. (3)	Maximum Retail Price per Stone. (4)
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
Up-to-Date, Kerr's Pink, Champion, Golden Wonder	9 10 0	10 15 0	1 10
Spry's Abundance, Gladstone, Arran Victory, Arran Peak, Arran Consul and any variety not specified elsewhere	9 0 0	10 5 0	1 9
Arran Banner	8 0 0	9 5 0	1 8

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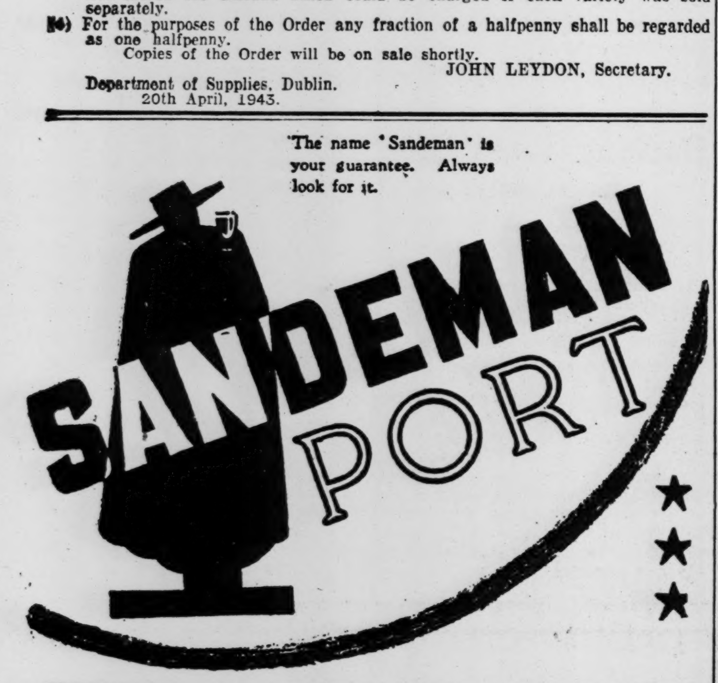
(1) The prices specified in column (2) of the above Schedules include the cost of delivery to the railway station nearest to premises of the wholesale merchant.
(2) The prices specified in column (3) of the above Schedules include the cost of delivery to the premises of the retail merchant; in the case of a sale by a wholesale merchant ex-store these prices shall be reduced by 5/- per ton.
(3) Where any two or more varieties are sold mixed the price to be charged shall not exceed the amount which could be charged if each variety was sold separately.
(4) For the purposes of the Order any fraction of a halfpenny shall be regarded as one halfpenny.

Copies of the Order will be on sale shortly.

JOHN LEYDON, Secretary.

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Epworth Badminton Club.—Championship winners: Women's singles, Miss G. Erskine; Class II., Miss L. Elliott; men's singles, W. Coughlan; women's handicap doubles, Miss G. Erskine and Mrs. H. Tansley; men's, Dr. A. H. Charles and S. Mitchell; mixed, W. Duttimer and Mrs. J. Arnold.

Newmarket Programme

THE feature of a rather uninteresting card at Newmarket to-day is the Severals Stake, in which the classic filly, Nearly, will make her first appearance of the season. She is a speedy sort, and will be suited by the short trip.

The running of Blue Cap, the first of Blue Peter's progeny to race, will be watched with interest in the Foxton Stakes, but preference is for Lord Bobs, a full brother to Lady Sybil. Selections:—

11.15—**Paper Boy.**
11.45—**Baman.**
12.15—**Lord Bobs.**
12.45—**Nearly** (nap).
1.15—**Tweets.**
1.45—**Bell Hop.**

Double—**Nearly** and **Lord Bobs.**

TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT
11.15—**Paper Boy.**
11.45—**Careless Talk.**
12.15—**Blue Cap.**
12.45—**Nearly** (nap).
1.15—**Refusal.**
1.45—**Lullaby.**

Double—**Nearly** and **Refusal.**

11.15—APPRENTICE PLATE. 1m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
440 Peace Offering (Earl), 6, 9-3 ... Pearson
000 School for Botany (J. Payne), 4, 8-4 ... Boyter
000 The Warren (Digby), 4, 7-13 Collins
00 Hill o' Beith (Sadler), 4, 7-13 ... Roberts
012 Paper Boy (Fk. Butters), 3, 6-12 ... O'Neill
000 Fearless Highlander (J. Jarvis), 3, 6-7 ... Robertson
Betting Forecast—4/9 Paper Boy, 6/1 Fearless Highlander, 10/1 School for Botany and The Warren, 100/7 Peace Offering, 20/1 Hill o' Beith.

11.45—MAIDEN 3-Y.-O. PLATE. 6f.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
443 Careless Talk (Lambton) ... Beary
Marble Faun (B.-Rochfort) Bridgland
0 Tetracos (Day) ...
003 Hiawatha (Leach) ... Taylor
424 Baman (Fk. Butters) ... G. Richards
00 Triumvir (Lambton) ... Freeman
Fourth Avenue (Sadler) ... Herbert
Ace Pilot (H. Leader) ... Greening
(Above carry 8-12.)
Divectis (J. Waugh) ... Sime
Farthing (R. W. Colling) ... D. Smith
Airfield (Day) ...
032 Secret Agent (Day) ... H. Wragg
0 Sticky Fingers (J. Jarvis) E. Smith
000 Clearance (Jelliss) ... Jones
00 Precept (Jelliss) ... Simpson
04 Settle Quickly (R. W. Colling) Lane
0 Felorbia (H. Leader) ... Allsop
Cat's Cerrie (R. J. Colling) ... Evans
(Above carry 8-9.)
Betting Forecast—7/4 Baman, 7/2 Careless Talk, 8/1 Sticky Fingers and Marble Faun, 10/1 Secret Agent and Settle Quickly, 100/8 Farthing, 100/6 others.

12.15—TOXTON T.-Y.-O. STAKES. 5f.
Probable Starters and Jockeys.
Lord Bobs (Lambton) ... Beary
or
Golden Cloud (Lambton) ... Beary
Seven Seas (Earl) ... H. Wragg
Private Entree c. (Sadler) ... Stephenson
Minkelp (R. W. Colling) ... D. Smith
Chaud-Froid (Jelliss) ... R. Jones
Effervescence (R. J. Colling) G. Richards
(Above carry 8-11.)
Si-pearl f. (H. Leader) ... Greening
Lafayette (Gaskell) ... Carey
Blue Cap (J. Jarvis) ... E. Smith
Solar Star f. (J. Payne) ... Littlewood
(Above carry 8-8.)
Betting Forecast—2/1 Blue Cap, 11/4 Effervescence, 4/1 Lord Bobs or Golden Cloud, 10/1 Lafayette, 100/6 others.

12.45—SEVERALS THREE Y.O. STAKES. 5f.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
313 Belle Amour (R. J. Colling), 9-0 ... G. Richards
443 Nearly (R. W. Colling), 9-0 .. D. Smith
132 Mysstre (Day), 8-11 ... H. Wragg
1 Glossy Ibis (J. Jarvis), 8-8 .. E. Smith
000 Claire (Lambton), 8-5 ... Beary
or
000 Silkylight (Lambton), 8-2 ... Beary
000 Polymnia (Leach), 8-2 ... J. Taylor
000 Cloth of Gold (Beatty), 8-2 McDonald
Betting Forecast—6/4 Nearly, 7/2 Belle Amour and Mysstre, 8/1 Glossy Ibis, 100/8 others.

1.15—LAVENHAM H'CAP. 7f.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
004 Ahina (Day), 9-4 ... H. Wragg
104 Corner Boy (Gaskell), 9-3 ... Carey
130 Solebay (Fred Butters), 9-3 .. Herbert
021 Bronze Beauty (J. Jarvis), 9-0 ... E. Smith
010 Pontoon (Lambton), 8-13 ... Beary
000 El Bico (Beatty), 8-13 ... Stephenson
000 Lysander (G. Colling), 8-11 ... Nevett
022 Tweets (Jelliss), 8-8 ... R. Jones
002 Dark Brocade (Fk. Butters), 8-8 ... O'Neill
400 Tarot (J. A. Waugh), 8-4 ... Sime
040 Reprisal (R. J. Colling), 8-3 ... G. Richards
000 Prince Igor (B.-Rochfort), 8-2 ... D. Smith
000 Mountain Fastness (R. J. Colling), 8-1 ... Evans
000 Montgomery (Digby), 7-11 ...
000 Sherwood Forest (Sadler), 7-7 ... Richardson
Betting Forecast—7/2 Bronze Beauty, 11/2 Dark Brocade and Reprisal, 6/1 Corner Boy, 8/1 Tweets and Pontoon, 10/1 Solebay, 100/8 Prince Igor and Lysander, 100/6 others.

1.45—CAXTON T.Y.O. STAKES. 5f.
Probable Starters and Jockeys.
Bell Hop (R. J. Colling) ... G. Richards
Bodkin c. (Whitaker) ... Thwaites
Original Sin (H. Leader) ... Allsop
Chrysomel c. (H. Leader) ... Greening
Sky Born (B. Jarvis) ... Simpson
(Above carry 8-11.)
Edifice (R. J. Colling) ... Evans
Lullaby (Gaskell) ... Carey
Chrysalis (T. E. Leader) ... Richardson
Sugar Hills (R. W. Colling) ... E. Smith
Solar Metal (G. Colling) ... Nevett
Karsavina f. (J. A. Waugh) ... Sime
Catskinner (Jelliss) ... R. Jones
Catapult (Sadler) ... Littlewood
Sousse (Digby) ... J. Taylor
(Above carry 8-8.)
Betting Forecast—11/4 Bell Hop, 7/2 Sugar Hills, 5/1 Lullaby, 8/1 Catskinner and Solar Metal, 10/1 Sousse, 100/7 others.

Week-End Racing in Ireland

BY OUR RACING CORRESPONDENT.

IRISH racing over the Easter week-end will be of a particularly attractive kind, and, with all sorts of racehorses catered for at Phœnix Park, Fairyhouse and Mallow, owners will be afforded opportunities for picking up prizes which nowadays are few and far between.

Phœnix Park, in accordance with custom, opens its season on the Saturday before Easter Monday, and visitors to this conveniently situated venue will be treated to an innovation, as far as Irish racecourses are concerned, in the shape of a broadcasting system by which they will be kept acquainted with all the happenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peard have busied themselves during the winter months in completing a scheme by which all parts of the course, such as the various starting points, the judge's box, the weigh-room and the totalisator offices, will be in telephonic communication, and all information valuable to patrons will be immediately announced through loud speakers. I do not know if any other racecourse is so equipped, but certainly Phœnix Park is the first meeting in Ireland to embark on such an up-to-date scheme.

It is now about time that some of the better-class two years old were seen in action, and the Greer Plate probably will introduce us to some smart youngsters that have not hitherto appeared in public. Mr. Joe McGrath can be represented by either Colomb's Kingdom or No Trace, and either would be a force to be contended with, but may not beat Dundela, who was very unlucky at Leopardstown when, losing lengths at the start, she finished third to Trigla and Rhokana.

The inclusion of hurdle racing has proved a popular innovation at Park meetings, and the two jumping events on Saturday have attracted big entries. The Rank Cup, a much-coveted trophy, can bring into opposition such promising novices as Winawar, Ballynure, Shaun Ogue, Matona, Funny and Coupe. Winawar, who already has won a hurdle race, will take a lot of beating, but Shaun Ogue, who now has got the going to his liking, as he showed at Leopardstown, is sure to be a danger.

By the way, owners and trainers are reminded to declare their runners for Phœnix Park to-morrow.

The chief concern of racing folk during the week has been how to get to Fairyhouse. The Ward Union Hunt meeting always has been regarded as the Dublin man's meeting, but I am afraid some of its regular patrons will have to give it a miss this year.

It looks as if there will be about twelve runners for the Irish Grand National, and in what little betting there has been Prince Regent is a strong favourite, others supported being Golden Jack, Sir Sen, Heirdom and Slang.

Down Mallow way Southern horses are mostly catered for. Beakstown will be much fancied for the Hunters' Steeplechase, and Border Knight (Tralee Plate) and Waving Star (Cahirmee Plate) are other likely winners.

Tennis Ranking In Leinster

The Leinster ranking lists for last season are as follow:—

Men—1, C. A. Kemp; 2, A. E. Fannin; 3, R. F. Egan; 4, J. McHale; 5, P. Read; 6, S. C. Robb.

Women—1, Miss E. Lombard; 2, Miss M. Nichols; 3, Miss D. Curley; 4, Miss B. Good and Miss N. Conway; 6, Miss M. Blayney.

These placings are justified on the players' records. Kemp takes first place among the men beyond any question, with victories in all the big grass court events, Irish Open at Fitzwilliam, East of Ireland at Lansdowne, and Co. Wicklow at Bray, but he was defeated in the two hard court tournaments at Elm Park, first by Fannin and then by Egan in September. By virtue of winning the Irish hard court title in May, in which he beat both Kemp and Egan, Fannin gets second place, but his form on grass was not as reliable as Egan's, while there was little between them on hard courts. McHale was a keen opponent of Kemp's throughout the season, and was more consistent than Read, who, however, did reach one open final, the East of Ireland at Lansdowne. Robb showed a distinct advance and had several good wins to his credit.

The Irish Open champion, Miss Lombard, takes first place among the women, and she also won at Lansdowne. Although losing her open title to Miss Lombard in the final at Fitzwilliam, Miss Nichols showed a decided advance, and was in brilliant form at the end of the season, winning at Bray and Elm Park in September. Miss Curley had only one success this time, in the hard court championships in May. Miss Good and Miss N. Conway, who are bracketed together, were in or about the semi-finals in all the singles events, but Miss Blayney's best effort was at Bray, where she reached the final. These placings, no doubt, will remain the same for the Irish ranking lists.

BROWNSTOWN STUD FOALINGS

The following mares visiting Windsor Slipper at the Brownstown Stud Farm, Curragh, have foaled:—April 10—Major Holliday's Springtime (half-sister to Blue Peter), a bay filly, by Nearco; April 13—Mr. A. E. Allnatt's Fairbourne, a chesnut filly, by Singapore; April 14—Mr. J. McGrath's Slap and Tickle (dam of Stop It), a chesnut filly, by Panorama; April 16—Lord Adare's Geosadaun, a grey colt, by His Highness.

CORINTHIAN HOCKEY CLUB

Corinthian Hockey Club is continuing next season. They are playing Shortt and Harland on Saturday next at Londonbridge road at 3.15, their team being:—D. Parkinson; E. Felton, W. Lindsay; P. Lindsay, D. Hill, E. Welch; R. Franklin, R. Walker, D. Cole, A. King, P. Webster.

Pembroke Wanderers H.C.—The April general meeting will be held on Tuesday next, at the Red Bank, D'Olier street, at 7.30.

SOCCER MATCH OFF

The proposed match between Drumcondra and a selected team of Bray Unknowns, Brideville and Limerick, which was to have been played this evening at Tolka Park for the benefit of Bray Unknowns, has been abandoned.

Ward and Daly (Drumcondra) will play for Shelbourne in the North v. South tournament. The Reds' first match is against Glentoran on May 1st.

Swimming.—The Young Leinster Club's annual meeting will be held in the Town Hall, Blackrock, on Easter Saturday, at 11 a.m.

Fourth Moran Cup for Bradshaw?

To-day, his fiftieth birthday, Willie Holley, six times a winner of the trophy, will, at the Grange, play the 36-holes' final for the Michael Moran Memorial Cup with the Irish champion, Harry Bradshaw, who has held the cup for the last three years. Bradshaw is strongly fancied to equal the achievement of the late Willie Nolan, who won the competition four years in succession; but it is no certainty that he will beat Holley, although on their figures so far the Kilcroney man has been the more consistent.

The surprise yesterday was the heavy defeat of Eddie Hackett by Adam Whiston, who had one of the most substantial victories of his career—7 and 5. A sound putter as a rule, Hackett completely lost his touch on the greens, on too many of which he took three putts; and to make matters worse he also was on anything but friendly terms with his long clubs. Whiston, on the other hand, played very sound golf.

Holley beat Mahon 2 and 1 in a match in which the golf was mediocre to the tenth, but then improved, and it was his delightful putting that enabled Kinsella to defeat Ferguson.

Bradshaw again played perfect golf against Tom Gaffney, who took the first two holes in 4, 2. Bradshaw turned 3 up, and at the thirteenth, where it finished, he was four under fours, his chipping and putting being beautifully executed.

The champion had another easy win over Kinsella in the semi-final (6 and 5), turning 5 up, and doing the thirteen holes in three under; but Whiston and Holley had a grand match, which went the whole way. Out in 34, Holley at the 12th looked to have the match well in hands, but his three holes lead had slipped from him when they went to the 16th. Whiston got a half there with a dead stymie, but Holley took the lead again with a 5 at the 17th, where Whiston's third was pulled, and a half in 4 at the last hole left the Castle man in the final.

Third Round—A. Whiston beat E. Hackett, 7 and 5; W. Holley beat P. Mahon, 2 and 1; H. Bradshaw beat T. Gaffney, 5 and 4; W. Kinsella beat D. Ferguson, 1 up.

Semi-finals—Holley beat Whiston, 1 up; Bradshaw beat Kinsella, 6 and 5.

To-day's final at 11 o'c. and 3 o'c.

Successful Year of G.A.A.

(By PAT'O.)

Despite limited transport and absence of excursion trains to their big games, the Gaelic Athletic Association had a very good year. Junior and minor inter county and All-Ireland programmes, as well as the National Leagues, were abandoned, but senior championships and school and college competitions were run to a successful conclusion.

Affiliated clubs remained steady at 1,700, Leinster leading with 589, Munster next with 527, followed by Connaught 311, Ulster 257, and Britain 16.

Mr. P. J. O'Keeffe, general manager and secretary, in a very thorough report covers the whole ground of the year's activities, and tells us that the G.A.A. in Britain and U.S.A. is very much alive.

Income during 1942 shows a substantial balance over expenditure, which has been rigidly controlled. Travelling, hotel and training expenses of teams show a considerable reduction. The bulk of the assets of the Association (£100,000) is invested in grounds and equipment. Without reaching the record figures of pre-war years, attendances at the semi-finals and finals were surprisingly good.

A vote for the presidency is likely between D. O'Rourke, T.D., Roscommon; Seumas Gardiner, N.T., Tipperary, and Peader Cowan, Westmeath. The out going chairman, Mr. P. McNamee, does not seek re-election.

The handball position is not satisfactory. Sixteen counties only are affiliated, and steps may be taken at Congress to bring the game more directly under the control of the Central Body. Shortage of rubber balls is a handicap, but many good courts are idle.

HAROLD'S CROSS GREYHOUNDS

525 YARDS—Bitter Outcome (2), 4/1, 1; Mullaghmast Lass (6), 4/7, 2; Double Trouble (3), 10/1, 3; Roving Meadow (4), 10/1, 4; My Lucky Peg (1), 6/1, 5; Miss Slanemore (5), 5/1, 6. 1½l., 8l. 31.76. Owner (Mr. T. Hennessy).

525 YARDS (HURDLES)—Booster Generator (4), 5/4, 1; Open Deal (6), 2/1, 2; Gay Blue (1), 5/1, 3; Diamond Band (3), 5/1, 4. 3l.; 1l. 32.95. Owner (Mr. B. Gordon).

525 YARDS—Lavistown Luck (5), 5/1, 1; Do and Don't (3), 4/1, 2; Cunning Guy (2), 6/1, 3; Midland Charlie (4), 6/1, 4; Monalena Leavy (6), 3/1, 5; Sugar Puss (1), 7/4, 6. 3l.; hd. 31.01. Owner (Mr. M. Langton).

525 YARDS—Keen Punter (6), 2/1, 1; Sheer Merit (1), 7/1, 2; Dago Red (3), 5/1, 3; Castlekelly Sport (2), 2/1, 4; Listowel (4), 6/1, 5; Burnaby Boy (5), 10/1, 6. 6l.; 6l. 30.88. Owner (Mr. P. King).

525 YARDS (HURDLES)—Reckless Monarch (4), 3/1, 1; Come On Iris (6), 5/4, 2; Fiallach (1), 2/1, 3; Not Goingen (3), 5/1, 4. 3l.; 3½l. 33.41. Owner (Mrs. D. Monaghan).

525 YARDS—Educator (2), 3/1, 1; Good Brindle (1), 4/6, 2; Far Cry (6), 10/1, 3; John's Square (3), 6/1, 4; Rastus (4), 10/1, 5; Bitter End (5), 5/1, 6. Neck; 5l. 31.61. Owner (Mr. J. Dempsey).

525 YARDS—Ashfield Fly (2), 3/1, 1; Hidden Bride (4), 4/1, 2; Red Witch (3), 4/5, 3; Princess Chrysanthemum (1), 7/1, 4; Caught Closer (6), 7/1, 5; Vesington Queen (5), 7/1, 6. 2l.; 1½l. 31.06. Owner (Mr. J. McCutcheon.)

SHELBOURNE PARK CARD

525 YDS.—Always in It, Rathool Girl, Clerical Error, **Smart Guy**, Salicyl, Drumhurlin Border, Roaring Rocket, Jolly Hippo.

525 YDS. HURDLES—Colleen Deas, **Shutters Up**, Rebel Ranger, Booster Generator, White Lane, Brown Stout.

560 YDS.—Lone Game, Question, Majestic Champion, **Hill of Doon**, Woodrow Black, Kilbannon, Belgrove Prince.

525 YDS. EASTER CUP—Heat 8—Lone Admiral, Derryvillane, Blunderer's Equal, Clara's Fancy, Shak, **Trodden Gold.**

525 YDS.—Heat 9—Allanswood Pet, Blonders, Discretion, Victory Shot, **Sister Peg**, Whippet Sweet.

525 YDS.—Heat 10—Quality Alone, Sweet Alice, Killybegs Lass, Powers Printer, **Manhattan Tess**, Flying Best.

525 YDS.—Precious Clip, Ducat, Blenney, **Crossley Border**, Maura's Maid, Cape Matapan, Cullen's Lass, Bawnogue Kit.

RUGBY CHALLENGE

Cork Constitution, winners of the Munster Senior Cup, are anxious to play Old Belvedere, the Leinster Cup winners, and have sent a challenge to the Dublin club, which is considering the proposal that the teams should meet in Cork on Sunday, May 2nd.

Classic Colt by German Sire

FROM GALTEE MORE.

A classic situation, that has a humorous aspect, presented itself yesterday when Pink Flower won the Shelford Stakes and suggested himself as a possible winner of the 2,000 Guineas, for which he is likely to be third or fourth favourite. He is by the German horse, Oleander, who is still standing in his native country. But Oleander goes back to the best Limerick blood, that of Knockaney, where, in Mr. John Gubbins's day, his distinguished ancestress, Morganette, produced the Derby winners, Galtee More and Ard Patrick.

Oleander was a very good horse, not only in Germany, where he carried all before him, but in France, where he won the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe.

Lord Astor sold Pink Flower as an unbroken two-year-old for only 18 guineas to the late Sir Alec. Black, and he changed hands last year for 1,050 guineas to his present owner.

NEWMARKET RESULTS

11.0—**FILLIES' T.Y.O. STAKES,** £265. 5 f.—**Salmon Pink,** b. f. by King Salmon—The Bud (Mr. H. J. Joel), 8-11 (R. Jones) (10/1), 1; **Fair Fame,** 8-11 (Greening) (2/1, fav.), 2; **Saucy Bella,** 8-11 (Nevett) (25/1), 3; Adur, 4; Fickle Jean, Respite, Turtle Dove, Am Allana, Sinbadi, Lady Prim, Log Book, Moon Mistress, Rondel, Braille f., Family Tree, Ole, Superiority, Lady Thelma. H. Jelliss. 3l.; 1l. 62 2-5 secs.

11.30—**COLUMN 3-Y.O. STAKES,** £212. 1m. 1f.—**Response,** br. c. by Felstead—Versicle (Capt. Baillie), 8-6 (Sime) (100/8), 1; **Silurum,** 8-3 (G. Richards) (7/4, fav.), 2; **Society Lady** (Beary) (4/1), 3; Asiatic Metal, 4; Booby Trap, Admiral's Luck, Veracity, Commando, Rowney Prince, Fair Proof, Portrush, Morplay. J. A. Waugh. 1l.; ½l. 2 mins. 0 3-5 secs.

12.0—**BRETBY HANDICAP,** £197. 6f.—**Sir Edward,** br. g., by Rhodes Scholar—Divine Lady (Mr. Benson), 4, 8-2 (Beary) (7/1), 1; **Burning Bow,** 5, 8-9 (R. Jones) (7/1), 2; **Valiant Frair,** 4, 7-6 (D. Smith) (100/7), 3; Comatas (fav.), 4; Gillybom, Mr. Sellers, Real Estate, Pure Gold, Glossary, Ti-Chin, Davy Doolittle, British Museum, Jeeves, Claxon, Kobold. Lambton. 4l.; 1l. 1m. 12 4-5 secs.

12.30—**SHELFORD 3-Y.-O. STAKES,** £260. 1 m.—**Pink Flower,** b. c. by Oleander—Plymstock (Capt. Gillson), 9-2 (Beary) (5/2), 1; **Herald** (Bridgland) (100/8), 2; **Detector,** 8-7 (R. Jones) (5/1), 3; Tinker's Firs (fav.), 4; Black Strap, Brush Off. H. Leader. 2l. same. 1 m. 44 3-5 secs.

1.0—**THURSTON HANDICAP,** £247. 1½ m.—**Longriggan,** ch. g. by Prince Galahad—Demi Mondaine (Capt. C. Boyd Rochfort), a, 9-0 (Bridgland) (5/2), 1; **Peradventure,** 4, 8-9 (Beary) (11/8, fav.), 2; **Cholo,** a, 7-9 (C. Richards) (8/1), 3; Hay Hill, 4; Paradise Club. B. Rochfort. ½l. 4l. 2 mins. 31 2-5 secs.

1.30—**GRANBY T.-Y.-O. STAKES,** £244. 5 f.—**William of Stratford,** brn. c. by William of Valence—Strapeto (Capt. Ingram), 8-11 (G. Richards) (4/5), 1; **Winter Spot,** 8-8 (H. Wragg) (100/8), 2; **Pall Mall** (Nevett) (20/1), 3; Scotch Haste, 4; Silver Fox II. f., Band Leader, Olive Oyl c., Della, Sardine, Clever Lad, Billy May. R. J. Colling. 3 l.; sh. head. 60 4-5 secs.

2.0—**HIGHAM HANDICAP,** £247. 1 m.—**Quartier-Maitre,** ch. g. by Monarch—Quatre Saisons (Mr. Lipton), a, 8-12 (Carey) (10/1), 1; **Chinde,** 4, 7-5 (D. Smith) (11/2), 2; **Stawort,** 5, 8-4 (Nevett) (5/1), 3; Chanda, 4; Bardia, Birikan (fav.), Little Truant, Massowa, Buxton. T. R. Leader. ½l.; neck. 1 m. 40 secs.

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

Clontarf.—Scotch foursomes—F. G. Moran (4) and L. A. Moran (6), 68; S. L. Tierney (5) and M. Delaney (6), 70½. To-day—Crawford Cup, bogey. Monday—Morning: Fourball, bogey; afternoon: mixed foursomes, strokes.

Co. Louth.—Ladies—Mrs. Cooke's prizes—I.: Mrs. McQuillan, 76; Miss Cunningham, 77. II.: Mrs. Jones, 73; Miss Sheirson, 74.

Carrickmines.—Ladies—Flag: Miss McComas, on 20th green; Mrs. R. M. Large, on 20th fairway. To-morrow—Sweep, strokes; draw 2.45.

Island.—Ladies—April 28: Postponed medal, strokes. Mrs. Phelps's prize—Miss D. Beamish, 20th fairway; Mrs. Cassidy, drive to 20th; hidden prize, Mrs. L. Walker.

Rathfarnham.—Ladies—Challenge Cup. Byes—Miss Baldwin, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Bingham, Miss Metge, Miss Buggy. First round: Mrs. Durno v. Mrs. Quaile; Mrs. Lockhart v. Miss McCormick; Mrs. Gow v. Mrs. Black; Mrs. Gordon v. Mrs. Cochrane; Mrs. McAteer v. Mrs. Giddings; Miss Smyth v. Mrs. Doyle; Mrs. Foster v. Mrs. Gray; Mrs. McColl v. Miss Williamson; Miss Moore v. Mrs. Quigley; Miss Jones v. Miss Black; Mrs. Deane v. Miss Brooks.

Dublin Insurance G.S.—At Grange. Myerscough Cup—J. E. Fitzgerald (10), 68; W. A. Armstrong (20), 71. Aston Cup qualifiers: M. J. Campbell, J. A. Doyle, J. Callaghan, J. E. Fitzgerald, Ken. Thornton, J. Killen, W. A. Armstrong, D. McCullough. Fourball—J. E. Fitzgerald (10) and Louis Ryan (13), 4 up; T. M. Lawrenson (14) and B. C. M. Cauldwell (9), 4 up.

All-Ireland Teachers' G.S.—Annual competition at Dun Laoghaire, Tuesday, 27th April, 18 holes, strokes. Two challenge cups and prizes presented by Congress Committee and publishing companies. Particulars from J. W. Burke, Hon. Sec., 36 Parnell square, Dublin.

Ursuline Convent (Thurles) P.P.U.—Open Scotch foursomes at Elm Park. Winners: Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Coleman (Castle); runners-up: Misses A. McAuliffe and E. Kettle (Elm Park).

Killiney.—Ladies—Friday—Miss Carroll's prize, strokes. Draws 10.15, 2.0, 2.30, 3.0. Sweep—I.: Miss E. Dalton (14), 79. II.: Mrs. Robinson (21), 77; Miss E. Joyce (30), 77.

Elm Park.—To-day—Wednesday Cup, 18 holes, bogey. Saturday—Fourball, bogey sweepstakes. Monday — Mixed Scotch foursomes, sweepstake.

Castle.—To-day—Medal. Saturday—Dr. Jackson Cup. Monday—Fourball and mixed foursomes.

Dun Laoghaire.—Saturday—Dudgeon Cup, qualifying round; time-sheet.

Lucan.—Ladies. To-morrow to May 2—Cregan Cup, strokes.

Sutton.—Friday—Match play competition, first and second rounds. Saturday—Scotch foursomes, strokes. Monday—St. George's Cup, strokes, and mixed foursomes, strokes. J. J. Lully holed the 3rd (108 yards) in one.

Killarney.—To-morrow—Men's fourball, bogey. Friday—Keogh-Barneville Cup (men). Saturday—Rosse Cup (men), Kenmare Cup (ladies), men's fourball. Monday—O'Sullivan Cup (men), Lackabane Cup (men), men's fourball, and ladies' 18 holes, sweep.

WOODBROOK GOLF CLUB.
MEN'S OPEN FOURBALL,
SATURDAY, 24th APRIL, 1943.
First Prize value £3 3/- each; Second Prize value £2 2/- each.
Entrance Fee, 2/6. Handicap limit, 18. Draws 10.30 a.m. to 5.15 p.m.—(Advt.)

EIRE BOXING TITLES

The Eire Boxing Board of Control invites offers from promoters to stage two fights, one between Jack Clancy and Gerald Kilcullen in an eliminating bout for the Eire middle-weight championship, and the other between Jack Clancy and Jimmy Ingle, in a welter-weight championship contest.

KIRWAN: JUDGMENT RESERVED

THE Chief Justice, the President of the High Court, and Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy in the Court of Criminal Appeal yesterday reserved judgment in the application of Bernard Kirwan, Ballycloughan, Rahan, Tullamore, for leave to appeal from his conviction at the Central Criminal Court, of the murder of his brother Laurence, on November 22, 1941.

Mr. Barra O Briain, K.C., and Mr. Nugent (instructed by Messrs. R. F. Barry and Sons) appeared for Bernard Kirwan; and Mr. George D. Murnaghan, K.C., and Mr. Hooper (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) for the Attorney-General.

Opening the case for the State, Mr. Murnaghan first directed his attention to the grounds of the application that the trial judge had been wrong in refusing a direction of acquittal and that there had been no legal evidence of the death of Laurence Kirwan, and said that it must be taken that the jury had found as a fact that the torso that had been found in Ballycloughan bog was portion of the body of Laurence Kirwan, and he submitted that on that fact the question for the Court of Criminal Appeal to decide in this case was: Was there admissable, relative evidence to support that finding?

He submitted that there was a body of evidence to go to the jury on that: he agreed that the evidence was almost entirely circumstantial, but suggested that circumstantial evidence was as good as—and, in the opinion of some authorities, better than—direct evidence on that particular aspect of the case.

THE TORSO

Mr. Murnaghan referred to two authorities, one the Australian case of Peacock against the King, and one the American case of the Commonwealth against Webster, in support of his proposition that identification of a body or proof of death can be established by circumstantial evidence; and said that, if he were right in that, there was ample evidence of identification and of the fact of death in this case. The description of Laurence Kirwan as given by a number of witnesses, including his brother, Peter, and his sister, Mary Kate, all more or less agreed with the opinion of the doctors of the sort the man had been whose torso had been found. Nowhere was there evidence in this case which would demonstrate conclusively that the torso found was not portion of the body of Laurence Kirwan. The torso had been described by the doctors as the torso of a strong, muscular man, and one of the medals that had been produced at the trial was a medal with an inscription showing that he had apparently won it in a tug-of-war contest.

So much for the torso, continued Mr. Murnaghan; but one of the strongest matters relied on by the State on the question of identification was the binder twine bag that had been around the torso. It was a binder twine sack similar to those now produced in Court.

TWO ALIBIS

A Civic Guard sergeant passed two binder twine bags to the judges for inspection, as Mr. Murnaghan said that he would not suggest that there were not many similar bags, and that if that were the only evidence it would not be very strong, but that it had been uncontroverted, except by Bernard Kirwan, that there had been three such sacks in the Kirwan household, and only two had been found after the discovery of the torso.

Kirwan in the witness box had, said Mr. Murnaghan, made not one but two alibis for the missing sack, and neither had been substantially supported by any witness. Inquiries which Kirwan had made about the part of the bog where the torso had been found suggested that he knew early in 1942 that something was there that he was anxious should not be come upon in turf-cutting operations that spring. Mr. Murnaghan submitted that the evidence about Kirwan having been in prison in Portlaoighise was relevant on a number of issues before the jury, bearing on the one issue whether he was guilty of the murder of his brother or not, and that evidence on that issue could not have been given without disclosing that Kirwan had been imprisoned. He submitted that no ground had been advanced for saying that evidence had been wrongly admitted.

COUNSEL'S REPLY

In the course of his reply Mr. O Briain said that it was a factor to be considered that no effort had been made to get any witness who had known Laurence Kirwan to look at the torso and see whether or not they could assist justice by saying definitely that it was or was not the torso of Laurence Kirwan. This was a case in which the evidence relating to the torso had been extremely limited, and whatever view the Court took of the case, it was going to be very near the border line. It was his submission that this case had fallen below the safety line, and that there had been a danger of the jury jumping to conclusions and speculating on suspicion with the volume of evidence so small that, as a matter of law, it should not have been allowed to go to the jury.

Shares Held by Bank

The hearing of an action of Mrs. C. I. Giltsoff, Hambridge, Taunton, Somerset, stated to have been the only woman member of the Dublin Stock Exchange, or, probably, of any Stock Exchange in these islands, against the Hibernian Bank, was opened before Mr. Justice Haugh in the High Court, Dublin, yesterday, and adjourned. It was for a declaration that the bank holds a number of specified shares for her as trustee, and an injunction to restrain the bank from selling them.

The bank deny that Mrs. Giltsoff transferred the shares to them in her personal capacity, and say that they were deposited as security for the debt of Messrs. Keogh and Co., of which she was a partner, with her father, Joseph Keogh. They state that at the time when she informed them of the dissolution of the partnership in 1933 the firm owed them £23,404, and they claim to be entitled to sell the shares, and to apply the proceeds to the reduction of the amount due to them.

Mr. Maurice Walker, K.C., who, with Mr. R. Hogan (instructed by Messrs. Horan and Devine), appeared for Mrs. Giltsoff, said that her father, Joseph Keogh, had been manager of the Swinford branch of the defendants' bank, when he came in 1903 to Dublin and set up as a stockbroker. His business was largely in speculative transactions, and he was dealing with fantastically large sums. When his daughter, Mrs. Giltsoff, came of age he took her in as a partner. She opened a banking account with the Hibernian Bank with £5,000 which her father gave her. She was to share 50-50 in the profits, but this never happened. The firm had been doing a "roaring" trade, when the financial depression started in the early '30's. Miss Keogh, as she then was, had at the time an overdraft, and the bank got her to transfer into their name the stocks and shares. In 1931 she left Dublin and went to England, and her father still carried on the business. Subsequently she got married there on November 11, 1933, and from that date she had nothing to do with the firm of Keogh and Co. When she left she had an overdraft of £850, which had since been paid off. Her father had, with the assistance of the defendant bank, carried on. On August 1, 1939, he was "hammered" on the Stock Exchange, and that same evening he left by the mail boat for England. A large sum of money was due to the Hibernian Bank when he left.

Waterford Man Sentenced.—Judge Sealy, at Waterford Circuit Court yesterday, sentenced Martin Murphy (47), labourer, 12 Broad street, to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour, for colouring a coin to make it resemble a two-shilling piece and with uttering counterfeit two-shilling pieces on two occasions in March last.

Heavy Fines on Dublin Traders

Mrs. Bridget Nolan, 31 Hogan place, was fined £10 for selling tea without having a retail licence by District Justice Mangan, in Dublin yesterday. She was also fined £10 for selling tea at 1/3 an oz., and £5 for failing to give reasonable information to the officers of the Department of Supplies. Mrs. Annie Ibbs, 34 Hogan place, who made the sale, was fined £2. The Justice ordered the forfeiture of 5½lb. of tea found in the shop.

Fines totalling £20 were imposed on John Cooke, 17 Terenure road, North, for selling tea in excess of the weekly rations, and for charging £1 a lb. for tea.

Walter Corr, 194 Larkhill road, Whitehall, was fined £30 for offering for sale, at £25 each, two giant heavy service tyres, the permitted price being £15 15/6 each.

Members of the Grocery Trade should protect their Interests by consulting Eire Rationing Advisers, 6 Commercial Buildings, Dame St., Dublin. 'Phone 73475. —(Advt.)

Jail and £500 Fine for Director

Frederick A. Newell (48), company director, of Slievemoyne Park, Belfast, who had been found guilty of three charges of obtaining money from the Admiralty by false pretences, was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment with hard labour and fined £500, at Belfast City Commission yesterday.

Lord Justice Babington suggested that the offences were part of a larger system of fraud, and said that the system under which the defendant traded in the firm of Marine Motors, Ltd., was rotten through and through.

Infant's Claim Dismissed

Judge Shannon, in the Dublin Circuit Civil Court yesterday, dismissed, with costs, the claim of Gertrude Hughes, an infant, of 98 Curlew road, Drimnagh, suing through her father, Michael Hughes, for damages from Alexander Capbaldi, 9 Berkeley street, Dublin, for alleged injuries as the result of an accident, in which she was knocked down by a horse-drawn ice cream cart, driven by Capbaldi, in July last.

Mr. J. L. Devlin (instructed by Messrs. B. P. McCormack) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Desmond Bell (instructed by Messrs. P. F. O'Reilly) represented Capbaldi.

Action for False Arrest Fails

An action for false arrest and imprisonment on a charge of larceny, brought by Rosanna Murray, 104 Leinster road, Dublin, a shop assistant, against Charles Byrne, 274 Harold's Cross road, was dismissed by Judge Davitt in the Dublin Circuit Civil Court yesterday.

The plaintiff claimed £100 from Byrne for procuring her false arrest and subsequent imprisonment in Terenure Garda Station, in August of last year, on a charge of the larceny of a pair of furlined gloves. The case was subsequently brought to the District Court, where the charges were withdrawn.

The defence was a general denial of the allegations.

Mr. E. Foley (instructed by Mr. L. Trant McCarthy) represented the plaintiff, and Mr. W. O'B. Fitzgerald (instructed by Messrs. Gerald Byrne and Co.) appeared for Byrne.

Cork Bull Sale

A complete clearance was quickly effected at Messrs. Marsh's supplementary bull sale in Cork yesterday, for which there were close on 100 entries. About a dozen averaged 35 guineas, and others sold from 30 guineas down to 20 guineas. Top price of 37½ guineas was obtained by Major Stuart-French, of Cove, for a March calf, sold to J. Burke, Carrignavar. Major T. P. Morgan got 36½ guineas for a Hereford calf sold to J. W. Hosford.

LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, April 21.

THE SUPREME COURT, 11 o'c.—Haire v. McMullin (new trial motion).

THE HIGH COURT.—In Court 2, Mr. Justice Martin Maguire, 11—Probate Motions, Motions Exparte. In Court 3, Mr. Justice Haugh 11. Motion—Dublin Corporation and others v. Murray. Action (at hearing)—Giltsoff v. the Hibernian Bank.

THE MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT.—11—Motions of Course, Summonses. Motion on Notice—Munster and Leinster Bank v. Claxton. Bankruptcy—12—Arrangt., ac. comp., J. H. Evans.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT—Green Street Courthouse, Dublin, 11—Jurors Nos. 1 to 150 need not attend until Wednesday, the 28th April.

CIRCUIT COURT OF JUSTICE—Before Judge Davitt, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, 11. Motion—M. and L. Bank v. Webb (equity). Applications for Summary Judgment, Equity Minor Application, Appeal from the District Court, Landlord and Tenant Act, 1931; Civil Actions. Before Judge Shannon, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, 11. Appeal from District Court—Stapleton appellant, McNally respondent.

PROPERTY SALE

There was a large attendance at the auction yesterday held by Messrs. Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street, of Temple Mills, Celbridge, on seven acres, which was sold at a satisfactory price. The property was bought in trust by Mr. Terence de Vere White, solicitor, 21 Nassau street, and the solicitor having carriage of sale was Mr. Henry F. Chidley, 11 South Frederick street.

FOOD MARKETS

CATTLE.

GLASGOW (MERKLANDS).—During the past week 1,656 Irish cattle were received here; all were stores, and were sent on to feeders. Details: 500 from Belfast, 271 from Derry, 748 from Dublin, and 137 from Cork.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN GRAIN.—Oats 21/- to 25/8 per barrel (controlled prices).

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—York cabbage, large 50/- to 112/-, small 20/- to 40/- load; swedes 3/- to 8/3, mangolds 2/6 to 3/- per cwt.; cauliflowers 2/6 to 5/-, seconds 6d. to 1/6; lettuce 6d. to 3/6, cucumbers 14/- to 18/- doz.; rhubarb 5/- to 9/-, beet 1/- to 2/-, carrots 5/- to 6/- doz. bundles, 10/- to 20/- bag; parsnips 16/- to 20/-, turnips and kale 6d. to 8d., scallions 1/- to 3/-, leeks 6d. to 3/- bunch, artichokes 1/6 to 2/-, parsley 1/- chip, 4/- to 5/- bag; mushrooms 5/-, seakale 10d. to 1/6, asparagus 1/6 to 3/-, new potatoes 2/-, strawberries 10/- to 15/-, tomatoes 8/6 to 10/- per lb.; apples 3/- to 8/- stone, oranges 55/- to 90/-, and lemons 73/- case.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Short supplies at—Dates, Champions and Kerr's Pinks 10/6; Sprys 10/- and Banners 9/- per cwt., ex store.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG.—Creams unchanged at 214/8 per cwt., less box allowance. Eggs in good supply, with sales improved at—Specials 22/6 to 23/4, standards 20/6 to 21/6, selected 19/- to 19/6, pullets' and seconds 17/6 to 18/4, and ducks 19/6 to 20/- per 120.

DUBLIN POULTRY.—Fair supplies met a firm to dearer trade at—Chickens, small 2/- to 2/1, large 1/8 to 1/10; ducks and hens 1/5 to 1/6 per lb.; guinea fowl 14/- to 15/-, rabbits 1/6, large grazers 1/4 and small 2d. to 4d. each.

Little Green Street Market, Dublin.
CARTON BROS., LTD.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN FISH.—Lobsters 30/- to 77/- per 13, salmon, best 3/3 to 3/9, secondary 2/- to 3/-; soles 1/3 to 2/3, trout 2/9 to 3/6, turbot 1/1 to 2/-, brill 9d. to 1/8 per lb.; herrings 25/- to 30/-, mackerel 10/- to 30/-, plaice 50/- to 114/-, whiting 45/- to 60/-, cod 70/- to 81/-, ray 20/- to 35/-, and ling 45/- to 47/6.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Haddocks, sprags, codling, whiting, ling, coalfish, and sullock, 7/- (with heads on); lemon soles, plaice, and dabs, 15/3; roker, 7/-; turbot, 21/3; halibut (headless), 26/6; sprags (headless), 8/11 per stone.

MANCHESTER SALMON AND POULTRY.—Marketings of salmon continue light and in active demand at 4/9 per lb. (wholesale). Supplies of dead poultry, mainly fowls and a few chickens, quickly cleared at 1/9 per lb. Rabbits in good request at 11½d. per lb. (wholesale) (control prices).

MISCELLANEOUS.

J. J. LIGHTFOOT & SON, M.I.A.A., Auctioneers of all Classes of Fruit, Flowers and Vegetables.
MARY'S LANE & GEORGE'S HILL, DUBLIN. —(Advt.)

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—Good supply, with best quality firm; other classes easier. Best hay 11/6 to 12/6, secondary 9/6 to 11/-, strong old meadow 7/6 to 9/-, softer 6/- to 7/-; straw, oaten 3/9 to 4/9, and wheaten 3/6 to 4/- per cwt.

Good Features Among Rails and Industrials

TRADING was again of good dimensions on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and strong buying of certain Irish securities again resulted in some bright features.

There was spirited bidding for small lots of Alex. Thom Ordinary and Preference shares. The former spurted 4s. 6d. to 27s., while the Preference advanced 2s. 10½d. to 27s.

Home Government Funds presented a bright appearance. Agreement Loan gained 7/6 to 108⅜, while 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds rose to 112⅛. Security Loan to 106⅝, and 4½ p.c. Land Bonds eased to 117⅛. 4 p.c. Land Bonds to 107 and 3½ p.c. War Loan to 105⅝.

Banks showed little life. Nationals declined to 45/9, but Provincial Old advanced 1/- to 48/-. Guinness Ord. shaded off to 120/-.

More cheerful conditions prevailed among Rails. Great Northern issues were supported, the Ord. recovered to 15¾, the Preference strengthened 15/- to 39⅝, and the Deb. hardened to 77¼. Great Southern Deb. firmed up to 53¼.

Dublin Transport Ord. and Alliance Gas Ord. held steady. Draperies inclined to harden, and Crowe Wilson Ord. rose to 18/9 and Todd Burns Deb. to 100/-.

Cement Ord. eased to 39/3 and the Pref. fell 1/- to 32/-. Irish Tanners Ord. gave way to 11/1½, but other Irish Industrials showed no change.

Courtaulds hardened to 49/6, while Bleachers Ord. quoted 9/- and Fine Spinners Ord. 17/3. Imperial Chemical Ord. eased to 38/6, while Vickers Ord. were dealt in 20/3 and Woolworth Ord. at 60/6.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

*Odd lot. (a) Asked. (b) Bid. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS. — 5 p.c. Second National Loan (115½), 115½; 4½ p.c. Third Loan (114½), 114½; do. (under £200) (114¼), 114¼; 3¾ p.c. Financial Agreement (108½), 108⅞, ⅞; do. (under £200) (108½), 108¾; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (112¼), *112½; 3¼ p.c. National Security (106½), 106⅝, ⅝; do. (Deed) (106), 106½; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (117¼), 117½; do. (under £200) (117), 117¼; 4 p.c. Land Bonds (107¼), 107; 2½ p.c. Consols (81⅞), 81½; 3½ p.c. War Loan (105 11/16), 105⅝; Gtd. 3 p.c. 1939 Stock (97), *97.

BANKS.—National (46/-), 45/9; Provincial Old (47/-), 48/-.

BREWERIES.—Guinness Ord. (120/3), 120/-.

SHIPPING. — Grand Canal Pref. (111/6), *111/6.

RAILS, ETC.—Gt. Northern Ord. (15½), 15¾; do. Pref. (39), *39½, *¾; do. Deb. (77), 77¼; Gt. Southern Deb. (52¾), *53¼; Dublin Transport Ord. (21/-), 21/-; do. Pref. (25/-), 24/9.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS.—Alliance Gas Ord. (17/10½), 18/-, 17/10½; Arnott Deb. (10), 10; Assoc. Chocolate Pref. (19/-), 19/-; Burke (E. and J.) Pref. (9/3), 9/3; Cement Ord. (39/6), 39/3; do. Pref. (33/), 32/-; Crowe, Wilson Ord. (18/2), 18/9; Independent "B" Ord. (71/-), 71/-; Irish Dunlop Pref. (24/6), 24/6; Irish Tanners Ord. (11/3), 11/1½; Johnston, Mooney Ord. (31/-), *31/-; Thom (Alex.) Ord. (22/6), *27/-; do. Pref. (24/1½), *27/-; Todd, Burns Deb. (99/6), *100/-.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS. — Bibiani Gold, 22/7½; Bleachers, 9/-; Courtaulds (49/4½), 49/6; Fine Spinners (17/-), 17/3; Imperial Chemical Ord. (38/7½), *38/6; Mexican Eagle Oils, 12/-; Vickers (20/6), 20/3; Woolworth (60/4½), 60/6.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Tuesday.—The market reverted to indecisive sluggishness in the afternoon, and the tape shifted haltingly with the turnover of 732,000 shares, one of the smallest this year. Declines more than offset the modest gains, which were fairly well distributed, but the market closed irregular.

Of the 855 issues traded, 239 were higher, 401 were lower, and 215 were unchanged.—(Reuter.)

IRISH EXCHEQUER

The Irish Exchequer return for the period April 1 to April 17, 1943, shows that revenue is £407,025 higher at £2,750,484, and expenditure £201,455 more at £1,223,955 than for the corresponding period of 1942.

The balance in the Exchequer on April 17, 1943, was £2,656,321, compared with £3,715,334 a year ago, and £1,129,792 on April 1, 1943.

Tunnel Asbestos Cement.—Ord. dividend of 5 p.c. for 13 months (against 5 p.c. for 12 months).

Big Jump in Cable and Wireless Ord

A BIG jump in the price of Cable and Wireless (Holding) Ordinary provided the outstanding feature on the London Stock Exchange yesterday.

There was a good turnover late in the session, and the Stock shot up 2¼ points to 77¾, which is only 5s. under the wartime high level of 78. Buying was said to be based on dividend prospects.

The market's first reaction to the statement by Sir Percy Bates, Chairman of the Cunard Steamship Company, concerning the status of the Ordinary Stock was to mark the £1 units down from 20s. 3d. to 18s. 9d. Later the fall brought in buyers, and the price rallied to 19s. 1½d.

News from Buenos Aires that the Argentine Central Bank has altered the official Argentine-U.S. dollar exchange rate for exports from pesos 421.82 to pesos 397.02 per 100 dollars had a good effect in the Argentine Railway market. B.A.G.S. and B.A. Western Ords. both rose ½ to 10¾.

Less activity was shown in Home Rails, but prices generally held firm.

Tobaccos held at previous prices, and in Breweries, Guinness were steady at 119s. 3d. and Watney Combe were 3d. harder. Cinema shares weakened, and Internationals were dull.

Diamond shares were again active. Cons. Diamonds rose 1s. 3d. to 30s. 6d., De Beers jumped another 8s. 9d. to 19s., and Anglo-American Investment rose 4½d. to 58s. 6d.

Dividend-paying Kaffirs were steady, and the developers were better, Blyvoor rising 1s. 10½d. to 66s. 10½d.

Business was again on a small scale in the Oil market, but British Controlled Pref. and Ultramar were each a few pence better.

COMPANY NEWS

Crowe Wilson and Co.—Report and statement of accounts for the year ended January 31, 1943, was unanimously adopted at the annual meeting in Dublin on Monday. A dividend of 8 per cent. and a bonus of 2 per cent., both less tax, were declared on the Ordinary shares.

Insurance Corporation of Ireland, Ltd.—Dividend of 4 per cent. (9 3-5d. per share) for year ended 31st December, 1942 (against 3 per cent.); to reserve £3,000; forward £2,594.

British South Africa ("Chartered").—Net profit £396,754 (against £326,768). As already known, the dividend is being maintained at 6 2-3 p.c., as is the bonus at 1 2-3 p.c., leaving the carry-forward up from £638,762 to £718,404.

Bryant and May.—Net profit £389,907 (against £381,433). Ordinary dividend again 18½ p.c. tax free, and the Partnership stock again receives 10 p.c. tax free.

General Mining.—Final dividend of 15 p.c., making 25 p.c. for 1942 (same).

John Rigby and Sons.—Interim of 5 p.c. (same).

Murex.—An unchanged interim dividend of 7½ p.c. on the Ord. stock is to be paid by Murex, Ltd., in respect of the year to June 30 next.

Oriental Telephone and Electric.—Profit, £34,941 (against £96,279). Dividend on Ord., 4 p.c. (against 10 p.c.).

Transport Services.—Interim of 4 p.c. (same).

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

* Ex Dividend + Ex Rights. ‖ Ex Bonus.

BRITISH FUNDS.

Consols 2½%	81⅝	81⅞		3½% Conversion	105 11/16	105 15/16	−1/16
Do. 4%	111⅝	111⅞		5% Conversion	102	102½	
3½% War Loan	105⅜	105½	−1/16	2½% Land	90½	92½	
3% War Loan	100 13/16	100 15/16		I.F.S. 4½% Land	116	118	
Funding Loan	113⅝	113⅞		Local Loans	95¾	96	
Victory Bonds	113½	114½		Nat Def. 2½%	101	102	
3% Conversion	102¼	103¼					

BONDS—RAILS—BANKS.

Brazil 20-Yr. A	78		Sth. Def Ord	25⅛		B.A. & Western	10¾	+½
Do. 40-Yr. B	65		Do. 5% Pref.	117		Do. 4% Deb	52	
Gt. Western	63		Arg. Gt. W. 5% Deb.	54		Canadian Pac.	17 9/32	−11/32
L.M.S. Ord.	33⅛	+⅛	B.A. Mid. 4% Deb.	58		C.Arg.4% Deb.	44½	+1
Do. 4% Pref.	79½		B.A. Gt. Sth	10¾	+½	Do. 5% Deb. 1967-87	38	+1
Do. 5% Rd. Pf	104½		Do. 4% Deb	57½	+1	Bank of Eng.	376½	
Do. 4% Pf. '23	65½		B.A. & Pac 4% Deb.	71		Barclay A	53/6	−0/6
L.N.E. Pf. Ord	11⅛	+⅛	Do. Con. 4½% Deb.	53		Lloyds	58/0	
Do. Def.	4¾	−⅛				Midland	10	
Do. 1st Pref.	63½	+½				Westminster	72/6	
Do. 2nd Pref	35¼	+½				Do. £4, £1 pd	86/0	
Sth. Pref. Ord.	77½	+¼						

INDUSTRIALS.

Austin (5/-)	21/7½		Courtaulds	49/10½	+0/1½	London Brick	53/9	
Assoc. Cement	60/0		Carreras B.	16/1½	+0/1½	Morris	39/0	+0/3
Babcock & W.	51/6		Dorman L.	24/9		Murex	108/9	
Brown (J.)	30/10½	−0/4½	Dunlop	34/7½		Marks & S.	48/9	
B.S.A.	23/6		Distillers	86/3		P. & O. Def.	31/7½	
Bleachers	9/3		Elec. & Mus.	23/9	−0/3	Raleigh	75/6	
Brad. Dyers	17/0	−0/1½	English Cotton	35/9		Rolls Royce	102/6	
Brit. Celanese	21/9	−0/3	Ever Ready	38/6		Stewart & L.	54/3	−0/3
B.A. Tobacco	99/4½		Ford	31/9		Sudan Plants	43/6*	−0/3
Beechams Def	15/3		Fine Spinners	17/3		Thomas (R.)	9/9	−0/3
Boots Drug	41/3		Gallaher	6 7/16		Tob. Secs. T.	75/0	
Braz. Trac.	28 15/16	−5/16	Guinness	119/9		Tate & Lyle	67/9	−0/1½
Brit. Alum.	50/0		Gen. Electric	88/6		Triplex	31/9	
Brit. Oxygen	77/6	+0/6	Harrods	46/6		Tube Invest.	93/9	
Brit. Plstr. Bd	28/6		Hudson's Bay	37/0		Turner & N.	76/0	+0/6
Br. P. Cement	82/6		Hawker Sid	18/4½		United Steel	25/9	
Bass	161/0		Harland & W	15/9		United South.	76/3	
Brit. Insulated	106/3	+2/6	Imp. Tobacco	7 7/16		Utd. Molasses	28/9	
Coast Lines	13/0		Imp. Chemical	38/9*		Vickers	20/4½	−0/1½
Cab & W. Ord.	77¾	+2¼	Int. Nickel	51	−3/16	Wall Paper Df	37/0	−0/6
Calico Print	12/9		Leyland	73/9		White Tomkins	42/6	
Coats	44/10½		Lever	35/0		Watney Def.	77/6	+0/3
Cunard	19/1½	−1/6	Lever N.V.	30/7½		Woolworth	60/0	

MINES. / OILS—RUBBERS.

Ashanti	56/3	+0/7½	Luipaards	17/6	+0/3	Anglo-Iranian	88/1½	
Bibiani	22/6	−0/3	Marievale	27/0		Attock	41/0	
Blyvoor	66/10½	+1/10½	Roan	15/0	+0/3	Burmah	55/7½	
Brakpan	30/0		Rhod. Ang. A	20/3		Can. Eagle	11/1½	
Chartered	25/9		Rhodesian Sel	17/6		Mex. Eagle	12/4½	+0/1½
Cons. Afr. Sel	24/6	+0/3	Rhokana	8		Shell	65/0	+0/7½
Cons. G.F.	52/6	+0/7½	Rio Tinto	13		Trin. Lease	76/3	
Crown	9¼		Selec. Trust	22/0	+0/3	Do. Pet. Dev	73/9	−1/3
Daggafontein	41/3		Springs	21/10½	−0/7½	Anglo Dutch	13/3	
De Beers	19	+7/16	S.A. Land	81/3		Anglo-Malay	6/7½	
Durban Deep	65/0		Venterspost	31/3	−0/6	Highlands	11/3	
East Geduld	9¼		Victoria Falls	80/0		Kuala Lumpur	12/0	
E. Rand Prop	44/4½		Vlakfontein	25/0		Malacca	8/0	
Geduld	7⅜		Vogels'bult	28/1½		Malayalam	32/6	
Govt. Areas	38/9		West Holding	25/0		Rubber Trust	16/0	
J'burg Cons.	52/6		West Reefs	56/10½	−0/7½	U. Sua Betong	24/6	
Langlaagte	7/9		West. Springs	30/0		Utd. Serdang	1/6	
Libanon	14/9		West Wit.	81 11/16	+5/16			

RANKS (IRELAND) DIVIDEND

The directors of Ranks (Ireland), Limited, report that the accounts for 1942 are not yet available. They have, however, decided to pay an interim dividend on the Ordinary share capital of 5 per cent. (3d. per share), less tax, in respect of the year 1942. This dividend will be paid on the same date as the final dividend for 1941—viz., May 8, 1943.

Before the war the company paid regular dividends of 20 per cent., but the total for 1940 was reduced to 16 2-3 per cent. and the 1941 payment was cut to 10 per cent.

King Line.—Dividend is being held at 12½ p.c. for the year 1942, with a final payment of 7½ p.c. Net profit, £49,053 (against £86,495).

ASSOCIATION OF OPHTHALMIC OPTICIANS, IRELAND.
TO ALL OPTICIANS IN EIRE
With reference to the recent Agreement Form issued by the N.H.I. Society, before signing Opticians are strongly advised to communicate with the
HON. SECRETARY AT 10 LOWER ABBEY ST. Telephone 44583.
K.A.A.

EVERY CHILD NEEDS A SPRING CLEAN



Pimples and spots on the face humiliate a child and leave nasty scars. They are sure signs that the bowels are clogged with sour, bilious poisons which inflame the blood.

For a quick, safe remedy there is nothing like 'California Syrup of Figs' to cleanse the system and purify the blood. Get a bottle of 'California Syrup of Figs' to-day and give the little one a dose at bedtime. In the morning the bowels will act perfectly; gently yet thoroughly removing the poisonous waste. Continue 'California Syrup of Figs' for a few nights and the skin will be clear, fresh, glowing with a beautiful healthy colour. Better still, you will see a wonderful improvement in the child's health. For 'California Syrup of Figs' is a natural health-giving, invigorating, blood-purifying laxative.

Many mothers have adopted the plan of a dose of 'California Syrup of Figs' once a week. It keeps the child regular, happy and well. Doctors and nurses recommend 'California Syrup of Figs.' Obtainable everywhere, 1/3 and 2/6. The larger size is the cheaper in the long run. Be sure you get 'California Syrup of Figs' brand.

PUBLIC A[MUSEMENTS]

GAIETY THEATRE
COMMENCING EASTER SATURDAY: 2.30, 7.30 p.m., and Following Week.
THE RATHMINES and RATHGAR MUSICAL SOCIETY presents
THE STUDENT PRINCE.
Booking Open Daily, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

REMINDER.
THE DUBLIN GRAND OPERA SOCIETY
FESTIVAL OF OPERA—GAIETY, MAY 3rd.
Monday—LA BOHEME.
Tuesday—CARMEN.
Wednesday—FAUST (with Ballet).
Thursday—TANNHAUSER.
Friday—MADAME BUTTERFLY.
Saturday—DON GIOVANNI.
And
JOAN HAMMOND—CHARLES LYNCH RECITAL, MAY 9th.
Booking Opens To-day at Gaiety—Opera Prices.

OLYMPIA THEATRE.
Closed Holy Week.
OPENING EASTER MONDAY.
STANLEY ILLSLEY & LEO McCABE PRESENT
"JOURNEY'S END,"
By R. C. Sherriff.
Box Office, 10.30-6. 'Phone 22962.

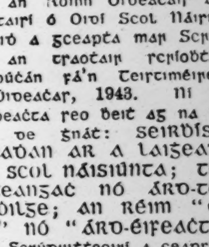
ABBEY THEATRE
NEXT SATURDAY, at 7.30 p.m. First Production of
"OLD ROAD."
By MICHAEL J. MOLLOY.
Prize-winning Play in recent Abbey Play Competition.
EASTER MONDAY, at 7.30 p.m.
Special Commemoration Performance.
"LOST LIGHT."
By Roibeard O Farachain. First Production. Poems of Easter Week.
"DERVORGILLA."
By LADY GREGORY.
Easter Tuesday: "OLD ROAD."
By Michael J. Molloy.

GATE LONGFORD PRODUCTIONS.
CLOSED TO-NIGHT and TO-MORROW.
Re-opening Saturday at 2.30 & 7.30 p.m.
"The Cherry Orchard." Special Bank Holiday Performance Monday at 7.30 p.m.

METROPOLE THEATRE CLOSED.
Re-opening Easter Saturday at 12 noon with Tyrone Power, Maureen O'Hara and George Sanders in
"THE BLACK SWAN." In Technicolour.

GREEN EASTER SAT. RBT. DONAT—
"GHOST GOES WEST." Also, Chas. Bickford—"Street of Missing Men."

FIRST RACE, 3.0 P.M.



Free Cycle Parks All Entrances

PHŒNIX PARK RACES,
SATURDAY NEXT, APRIL 24.
£900 IN STAKES.
5 FLAT RACES, 2 HURDLE RACES.
£60 FREE FORECAST.
ADMISSION TO STANDS FROM 3/-.
GARDA SIOCHANA BAND.
The Racecourse is two and a quarter miles from the main Park Gate.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

An Roinn Oideachais.
An Scrúdúchán
Fá'n Teistiméireacht ar Bun-Oideachas, 1943.
Scrúdúiteoirí a Ceapadh.

Tá an Roinn Oideachais ag lorg iarratais ó Oidí Scol Náisiúnta le h-agaidh a gceapa mar Scrúdúiteoirí ... an Teastas ... Teistiméireacht ... Bun-Oideachas, 1943. Ní mór na cáilíochtaí seo beith ag na h-iarratóirí, ... seirbhís ... mbliadhan ar a laighead mar Oidí Scol Náisiúnta; teastas dá-teangach nó árd-teastas Gaedhilge; an réim "Éifeachtach" nó "Árd-éifeachtach."

Na Scrúdúiteoirí a ceapfar, beidh orra páipéir a mharcáil ... h-Ordú: Gaedhilge, Béarla ... Uimhríocht, fá ceannas Cigire Scoil ... Náisiúnta. Déanfar íocaidheacht do ... péin TUISTIÚIN [4p.] ar son gach iarratóra i ngach triail díobh ... fá réach a mharcáil ... ar son ... iomláin iarratóra ... agus costais taistil go dtí an ... mharcála.

Ní foláir uimhreacha ... iarratóir le h-agaidh na gceapachán seo ... bhéadh ceart d'Oidí na cuairt ... ... na h-iarratairí, ... táid luaidhte:

1. Ainm; Dáta Breithe;
2. Conndae; Uimhir Rolla; Ainm na Scoile.
3. Ainm an Chigire Ceanntair.
4. Dáta tosnuighthe seirbhíse mar Oide Scoil Náisiúnta; péin ... [... "Éifeachtach" nó "Árd-Éifeachtach"].
5. Cáilíochta Gaedhilge [Teastas Dá-teangach nó Árd-Teastas].
6. Sighniú an Oide, agus Seoladh Poist go h-iomlán.

Ní mór na h-iarratairí beith ... Oifig seo Dia Luain, 10adh Bealtaine ar a déideannaighe. Scríobhtar "SCRÚD." ar an gclúdach.

SEOSAMH Ó NÉILL, Rúnaidhe.
Oifig an Oideachais Náisiúnta, Baile Átha Cliath.
Aibreán, 1943.
C 4883. W.H.Co.

An Roinn Oideachais.
Coláistí Ullmhúcháin.
Deirc Dan Tighe do Ceapadh.

Tá deirc ban tighe le ceapadh ... luach (1) duine (Caitliceach) ... Coláiste Éinde, bóthar na trágha, Gaillimh, Coláiste Ullmhúcháin ... Buachaillidh Caitliceacha agus (2) duine (Protastúnach) do Coláiste Moibí, 22 Sráid Muirbhtean, Uachtair, B'l'Á Cliath, Coláiste Ullmhúcháin ... rcoláirí Protastúnacha. Tuarastal £90 mar aon le h-iostas ... cómhnuidhe sa Coláiste ... gach ... bliadhan.

'Sí an Gaodhluinn gnáth-teanga ... gColáistí. Ní ceapfar ach duine ... bfuil eolas maith aca ar an Gaodhluinn ... scéal ... cainnt.

Cuirfear Fuirm iarratais ag triall ar gach iarratóir gur mian léi ... iarrtear ar ceachtar de'n dá bhord.

Caithfear an Fuirm iarratais ... h-aoinfeacht le litreacha molta—ceithre ... cinn ar a laighead—a fcoláid chug:

An Rúnaidhe,
Roinn Oideachais (C.U.),
Sráid Maoilbhrighde,
Baile Átha Cliath,

i dtreo is go sroisfidh é ar an 4... Bealtaine, 1943, ar a déideannaighe.

Ceapfar na mná tighe ar dul ... gComhairle do'n Aire Oideachais ... Bainistreoirí na gColáistí.

SEOSAMH Ó NÉILL, Rúnaidhe.
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C 4760. W.H.Co.

AN ROINN TALMHAIDHEACHTA
(Department of Agriculture.)
EMERGENCY POWERS (DISTRIBUTION OF ARTIFICIAL FERTILISERS) (No. 2) ORDER, 1943.

The Minister for Agriculture has made an Order entitled as above with the object of providing for the allocation of limited supplies of an artificial fertiliser for use by farmers who are engaged in the cultivation of a potato crop in districts adjacent to the western seaboard.

It is an offence for a retail distributor to mix this fertiliser, which is described as "1943 Potato Fertiliser," with any other substance.

The Order will be printed at an early date, and will be purchasable from the Government Publications Sale Office, 3 College Street, Dublin, or through any bookseller.

D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
Department of Agriculture, Dublin.
20th April, 1943.

AN ROINN OIDEACHAIS—BRAINSE AN CHEARD-OIDEACHAIS:
COLAISTE MUIRE LE TIGHEAS SRA... CATHAL BRUGHA.
CURSA CHUN MUINTEOIRI TIGHE... 'COILEAMHAINT.
SCRUDUCHAN IONTRALA, 1943.

Ta 24 aiteacha ar an gCursa thuas ... Bonadh i mbliadhna de thoradh scrud... chain iomaidheachta ach feadfar dha ... daobhtha do chur i n-airithe d'iomatho... o'n bhFior-Ghaeltacht a choimhlionas ... coinghealacha airithe. Beidh Cuid I. de'n ... scrudúchan ar siubhal ar an 2a... Iuil. Se'n 15adh Bealtaine, 1943, ... data deiridh ar ar nglacfar le h-iarrata... do'n scrudúchan.

Feadfar fuirmeacha iarratais agus ga... fainne eile i dtaobh an chomort... d'fhaghail o'n Runai, Roinn Oideacha... Brainse an Cheard-Oideachais, Teach... Talboid, Baile Atha Cliath. M.10.
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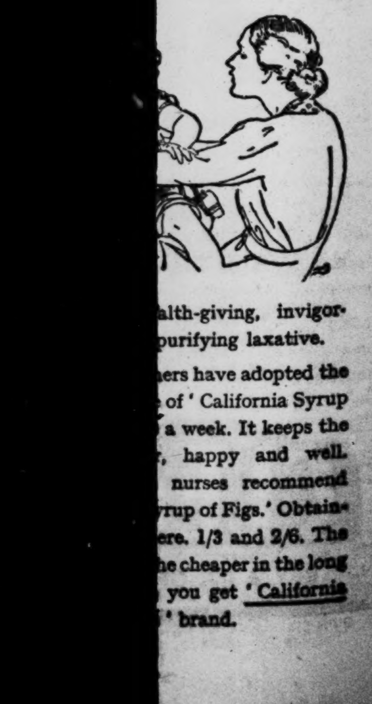
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Sudan Plants	43/6*	−0/3
Thomas (R.)	9/9	−0/3
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Tate & Lyle.	67/9	−0/1½
Triplex	31/9	
Tube Invest.	93/9	
Turner & N.	76/0	+0/6
United Steel	25/9	
United South.	76/3	
Utd Molasses.	28/9	
Vickers	20/4½	−0/1½
Wall Paper Df	37/0	−0/6
White Tomkins	42/6	
Watney Def.	77/6	+0/3
Woolworth	60/0	

OILS—RUBBERS.

Anglo-Iranian	88/1½	
Attock	41/0	
Burmah	55/7½	
Can. Eagle	11/1½	
Mex. Eagle	12/4½	+0/1½
Shell	65/0	+0/7½
Trin. Lease	76/3	
Do. Pet. Dev	73/9	−1/3
Anglo Dutch.	13/3	
Anglo-Malay.	6/7½	
Highlands	11/3	
Kuala Lumpur	12/0	
Malacca	8/0	
Malayalam	32/6	
Rubber Trust.	16/0	
U. Sua Betong	24/6	
Utd. Serdang.	1/6	

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS

GAIETY THEATRE.
COMMENCING EASTER SATURDAY: 2.30, 7.30 p.m., and Following Week.
THE RATHMINES AND RATHGAR MUSICAL SOCIETY presents
THE STUDENT PRINCE.
Booking Open Daily, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

REMINDER.
THE DUBLIN GRAND OPERA SOCIETY
FESTIVAL OF OPERA—GAIETY, MAY 3rd.
Monday—LA BOHEME.
Tuesday—CARMEN.
Wednesday—FAUST (with Ballet).
Thursday—TANNHAUSER.
Friday—MADAME BUTTERFLY.
Saturday—DON GIOVANNI.
And
JOAN HAMMOND—CHARLES LYNCH RECITAL, MAY 9th.
Booking Opens To-day at Gaiety—Opera Prices.

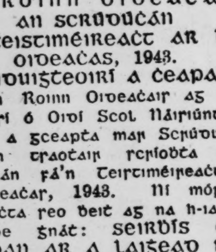
OLYMPIA THEATRE.
Closed Holy Week.
OPENING EASTER MONDAY.
STANLEY ILLSLEY & LEO McCABE
PRESENT
"JOURNEY'S END,"
By R. C. Sherriff.
Box Office, 10.30-6. 'Phone 22962.

ABBEY THEATRE
NEXT SATURDAY, at 7.30 p.m.
First Production of
"OLD ROAD."
By MICHAEL J. MOLLOY.
Prize-winning Play in recent Abbey Play Competition.
EASTER MONDAY, at 7.30 p.m.
Special Commemoration Performance.
"LOST LIGHT."
By Roibeard O Farachain. First Production. Poems of Easter Week.
"DERVORGILLA."
By LADY GREGORY.
Easter Tuesday: "OLD ROAD."
By Michael J. Molloy.

GATE LONGFORD PRODUCTIONS.
CLOSED TO-NIGHT and TO-MORROW.
Re-opening Saturday at 2.30 & 7.30 p.m.
"The Cherry Orchard." Special Bank Holiday Performance Monday at 7.30 p.m.

METROPOLE THEATRE CLOSED.
Re-opening Easter Saturday at 12 noon with Tyrone Power, Maureen O'Hara and George Sanders in "THE BLACK SWAN." In Technicolour.

GREEN EASTER SAT. RBT. DONAT—
"GHOST GOES WEST." Also, Chas. Bickford—"Street of Missing Men."

FIRST RACE, 3.0 P.M.

Free Cycle Parks All Entrances

PHŒNIX PARK RACES,
SATURDAY NEXT, APRIL 24.
£900 IN STAKES.
5 FLAT RACES, 2 HURDLE RACES.
£60 FREE FORECAST.
ADMISSION TO STANDS FROM 3/-.
GARDA SIOCHANA BAND.
The Racecourse is two and a quarter miles from the main Park Gate.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

An Roinn Oideachais.
An Scrúdúchán fá'n Teistiméireacht ar Dún-Oideachas, 1943.
Scrúduightheoirí a Ceapadh.

Tá an Roinn Oideachais ag lorg iarratasaí ó Oidí Scol Náisiúnta le h-aghaidh a gceaptha mar Scrúduightheoirí de'n Scrúdúchán fá'n Teistiméireacht ar Dún-Oideachas, 1943. Ní mór na cáilidheachta seo beith ag na h-iarratasóirí, de gnáth: Seirbhís cúig mbliadhan ar a laighead mar Oidí Scol Náisiúnta; Teastas Dá-theangach nó Árd-Teastas Gaedhilge; an Réim "Éifeachtach" nó "Árd-Éifeachtach."

Na Scrúduightheoirí a ceapfar, béidh orra páipéir a marcáil insa na trí h-ábhair: Gaedhilg, Béarla agus Uimhríocht, fá ceannas Cigire Scol Náisiúnta. Déanfar íocaidheacht do réir tuistiúin [4 p.] ar son raoltar gach iarratóra i ngach triail díobh seo ar feadh a marcáil ['sé sin, scilling ar son raoltar iomláin iarratóra], agus costaisí taistil go dtí an comhdháil marcála.

Ní foláthruighthear Foirmeacha Iarratais le h-aghaidh na gceapachán seo, ach badh ceart d'Oidí na tuairiscí seo a tabhairt in a n-iarratais, insa an ord atá luaidhte:

1. Ainm; Dáta Breithe;
2. Conndae; Uimhir Rolla; Ainm na Scoile.
3. Ainm an Chigire Ceanntair.
4. Dáta toruighthe seirbhíse mar Oide Scoil Náisiúnta; réim ráthair ["Éifeachtach" nó "Árd-Éifeachtach"].
5. Cáilidheachta Gaedhilge [Teastas Dá-theangach nó Árd-Teastas].
6. Sighniúchán an Oide, agus Seoladh Poist go h-iomlán.

Ní mór na h-iarratasaí beit ran Oifig seo Dia Luain, 10adh Bealtaine ar a déidheannaighe. Scríobhtar "SCRÚD." ar an gclúdach.

SEOSAMH Ó NÉILL, Rúnaidhe.
Oifig an Oideachais Náisiúnta, Baile Átha Cliath.
Aibreán, 1943.
C 4883. W.H.Co.

An Roinn Oideachais.
Coláistí Ullmhúcháin.
Deirbh Ban Tighir do Ceapadh.

Tá deirbh ban tighir le ceapadh go luath (1) duine (Caitiliceach) do Choláiste Éinne, Bóthar na Trágha, Gaillimh, Coláiste Ullmhúcháin do Buachaillibh Caitiliceacha agus (2) duine (Protastúnach) do Choláiste Móibí, 22 Sráid Muirbhtean, Uacht., B'l'Á Cliat, Coláiste Ullmhúcháin do Scoláirí Protastúnacha. Tuarastal £90 mar aon le h-iostar agus cómhnuidhe sa Choláiste atá ag dul le gac post díobh.

'Sí an Gaodhluinn gnáth-theanga na gColáistí. Ní ceapfar ach daoine go bhfuil eolas maith aca ar an nGaodhluinn roin rgríobhadh agus cainnt.

Cuirfear Foirm Iarratais ag triall ar gach iarratóir gur mian léi cur isteach ar ceachtar de'n dá bport.

Caithfear an Foirm Iarratais i n-éinfeacht le litreacha molta—ceithre cinn ar a laighead—a fcoladh cuig.

An Rúnaidhe,
Roinn Oideachais (C.U.),
Sráid Maoilbrighde,
Baile Átha Cliath,

i dtreo is go bhfroisfidh é ar an 4adh Bealtaine, 1943, ar a déidheannaighe.

Ceapfar na mná tighir ar dul i gcómhairle do'n Aire Oideachais le bainisteoirí na gColáistí.

SEOSAMH Ó NÉILL, Rúnaidhe.
An Roinn Oideachais,
Aibreán, 1943.
C 4750. W.H.Co.

AN ROINN TALMHAIDHEACHTA.
(Department of Agriculture.)
EMERGENCY POWERS (DISTRIBUTION OF ARTIFICIAL FERTILISERS) (No. 2) ORDER, 1943.

The Minister for Agriculture has made an Order entitled as above with the object of providing for the allocation of limited supplies of an artificial fertiliser for use by farmers who are engaged in the cultivation of a potato crop in districts adjacent to the western seaboard.

It is an offence for a retail distributor to mix this fertiliser, which is described as "1943 Potato Fertiliser," with any other substance.

The Order will be printed at an early date, and will be purchasable from the Government Publications Sale Office, 3-4 College Street, Dublin, or through any bookseller.

D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
Department of Agriculture, Dublin.
20th April, 1943.

AN ROINN OIDEACHAIS—BRAINSE AN CHEARD-OIDEACHAIS:
COLAISTE MUIRE LE TIGHEAS SRAID CATHAL BRUGHA.
CURSA CHUN MUINTEOIRI TIGHIS D'OILEAMHAINT.
SCRUDUCHAN IONTRAALA, 1943.

Tá 24 aiteacha ar an gCursa thuas le líonadh i mbliadhna de thoradh scruduchain iomaidheachta ach feadfar dhá áit daobhtha do chur i n-airthid d'iomathoirí o'n bhFíor-Ghaeltacht a chomhlíonann coinghealacha airithide. Beidh Cuid I. de'n scruduchan ar siubhal ar an 2adh Meitheamh agus Cuid II i dtosach Mí Iúil. Se'n 15adh Bealtaine, 1943, an dáta deiridh ar ar nglacfar le h-iarratais do'n scruduchan.

Feadfar fuirmeacha iarratais agus gach faisnéis eile i dtaobh an chomórtais d'fhaghail o'n Rúnaí, Roinn Oideachais, Brainse an Cheard-Oideachais, Teach Talboid, Baile Átha Cliath. M.10.
C 4817. W.H.Co.

FOR OTHER GOVERNMENT NOTICES SEE PAGE 8.

ROYAL Theatre Closed To-day, To-morrow and Friday.
Booking Office Open To-day, 2 till 8 p.m. For Sunday Night Show.
COMMENCING EASTER SATURDAY.
Doors Open 1.15 p.m.
The Epic Historical Pageant.
THE 26th BATTALION in "SIGNAL FIRES."
With the Maritime Inscription and L.D.F. No. 1 Army Band: Pipe and Drum Bands and a host of celebrated artists.
In Eight Unforgettable Scenes.
"The Burning of the G.P.O.," "The Last Ambush," "Frongoch," "The American Wakes," "The Glen" and "ON GUARD AGAIN." "The General Post Office, Easter Monday, 1916."

REGAL ROOMS CINEMA.
CINEMA CLOSED TO-DAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY.
Booking Office Open 2 to 8 p.m. for Sunday Night Show.
Commencing Easter Saturday: Victor Mature, Lucille Ball, in the uproarious musical, "SEVEN DAYS' LEAVE."

SAVOY At 2.30, 4.42, 6.54, 9.6.
CINEMA AND RESTAURANT CLOSED FOR HOLY WEEK.
RE-OPENING SATURDAY WITH
The Technicolour Musical Sensation,
"SPRINGTIME IN THE ROCKIES."
With Betty Grable, John Payne, Carmen Miranda.
Book Now for Sunday Night. (Office Open 2-7 p.m.) Easter Monday Opening at 12 noon.

CAPITOL CLOSED WED., THURS., FRI.
COMMENCING EASTER SATURDAY.
Madeleine CARROLL : Stirling HAYDEN,
in The Season's Wittiest Romance,
"BAHAMA IDYLL."
in GLORIOUS TECHNICOLOR.
Anne Shirley in "Lady Bodyguard."
Restaurant Closed Good Friday Only.

ASTOR
Disney's "Best Ever"!
"BAMBI."
At 2.55, 5.5, 7.15, 9.25.
EASTER MONDAY:
Performance from 11.45 a.m.
Doors Open 11.30 a.m.

ADELPHI CINEMA CLOSED Wed., Thur., Fri.
Opening Saturday Next with Two Great Stars,
RONALD COLMAN : GREER GARSON,
In
The Record-Breaking Success,
"RANDOM HARVEST."
Book for Sunday Night from 11 a.m. Saturday and 12.15 Sunday.

CORINTHIAN.
CINEMA CLOSED TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), THURSDAY, AND FRIDAY.
RE-OPENING EASTER SATURDAY AT 2.15.

SAFE PLUMBING,
HEATING & LIGHTING.
MAGUIRE & GATCHELL, LTD.,
DAWSON ST., DUBLIN.

PUBLIC NOTICES

EXPORTED LIVE STOCK (INSURANCE) ACTS, 1940 AND 1943.
CLASSIFICATION AND APPOINTED MINIMUM VALUE ORDER (NO. 1) 1943.

On and after the 1st day of May, 1943, all cattle which are delivered to a shipowner for shipment from a port in the State to a British Landing Place or are delivered in the State to a carrier for shipment via Northern Ireland to a British Landing Place, shall be classified as follows:—
(a) Calves
(b) Dropped Calves
(c) All other Cattle (including Milch Cows).

On and after the 1st day of May, 1943, the appointed minimum values of all animals which are delivered to a shipowner for shipment from a port in the State to a British Landing Place or are delivered in the State to a carrier for shipment via Northern Ireland to a British Landing Place, shall be as follows:—

Calves	£8	0	0	each
Dropped Calves	£4	0	0	„
All other Cattle (including Milch Cows)	£15	0	0	„
Pigs	£6	0	0	„
Sheep	£3	0	0	„
Lambs	£1	0	0	„

This Order remains in force until further notice.

EXPORTED LIVE STOCK (INSURANCE) ACT, 1943.

The Minister for Agriculture has made an Order, dated the 12th day of April, 1943, under the above Act, appointing the 1st May, 1943, to be the Appointed Day for the purposes of the Exported Live Stock (Insurance) Acts, 1940 and 1943.

EXPORTED LIVE STOCK (INSURANCE) ACTS, 1940 AND 1943.

Notice is hereby given that:—
1. The levy of 10/- per cent. at present chargeable on animals exported from a port in Eire to a British Landing Place, will also apply to animals exported from Eire via Northern Ireland to a British Landing Place. The Railway Companies concerned are authorised to accept payment of the levy on behalf of the Exported Live Stock (Insurance) Board.

APPEALS AGAINST DETERMINATION OF CLAIMS.
2. A claimant who has had a claim disallowed in whole or in part, and requests the Board in writing WITHIN FOURTEEN DAYS AFTER THE APPOINTED DAY to refer his claim to the standing referee for re-hearing, and deposits with the Board the appropriate appeal fee, the Board shall refer the claim to the standing referee.

APPROPRIATE APPEAL FEES.
3. (a) In respect of animals exported before the appointed day—£10 or 5 per cent. of the declared value of each animal to which the claim relates, whichever is the greater;
(b) In any other case a sum equal to £10 or 5 per cent. of the appointed minimum value of each animal to which the claim relates, whichever is the greater.

JOHN FLEMING, Secretary.
Exported Live Stock (Insurance) Board, 5-7 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin, C.8.
K.A.A.

DUN LAOGHAIRE BOROUGH CORPORATION.
NATIONAL FREE MILK SUPPLY GRANT.
MILK REQUIRED.

Tenders are invited for the supply of milk daily in pint and half-pint sealed bottles, delivered to the homes of recipients in the Borough Area for the period 1st May, 1943, to 31st March, 1944. Tenders will be considered only from persons who are registered under the Milk and Dairies Act, 1935, and preference will be given to Highest Grade Milk and other milk sold under a Special Designation Licence.

The quantity of milk required varies from time to time, but usually amounts to a total daily delivery of approximately 50 gallons.

Tender Forms and Conditions of Contract may be obtained at my office.

Tenders, in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Dun Laoghaire Borough Corporation, and marked "Tender—Milk Supply," should reach my office not later than 1 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 28th April, 1943.

The Corporation shall not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender, and the acceptance of a tender shall be subject to the completion by the Contractor and his Sureties of a Contract under Seal, to be prepared by the Corporation's Law Agent.

T. D. WYER, Acting Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Dun Laoghaire.
20th April, 1943.

IRISH BAKERS', CONFECTIONERS' & ALLIED WORKERS' AMALGAMATED UNION.
Dublin Branch: No. 1.

EASTER HOLIDAY.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

As already announced to the public, there will be no night baking in the Dublin Bakeries this week-end. This need occasion no apprehension among the public. Ample supplies of bread can be baked by day. In order to ease week-end production and delivery the public are advised to take in supplies a bit in advance from the early part of this week. If supplies are carried forward from day to day, Friday's and Saturday's production will be available for the carry-over to Easter Monday.

C. NOONAN, Secretary.

CHRIST CHURCH, LEESON PARK.
THE SACRED CANTATA
"OLIVET TO CALVARY,"
GOOD FRIDAY EVENING, 7.30.
Concluding at 9 o'clock.
Soloists:
MRS. OLIVE HORNE.
MR. J. R. McCULLAGH.
MR. THOMPSON DAWSON.

SLIGO DISTRICT MENTAL HOSPITAL
NOTICE TO OWNERS OF FAT CATTLE.

The County Manager invites quotations from owners or dealers for the supply and delivery to Sligo Mental Hospital of from approximately 10 to 14 Fat Cattle per month.

Cattle to be prime heifer or bullock, weighing not less than 10 cwt. each.

Quotations, setting out price, taking as a basis the average price ruling from time to time in the Dublin Market, should be addressed to the undersigned to reach me not later than 1st May, 1943.

The County Manager does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any quotation.

(Signed) C. J. McCARTHY,
Resident Medical Superintendent.
16th April, 1943.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL, DUBLIN.
HOLY WEEK.
HOLY COMMUNION, 8 and 11.
11 ADDRESS—THE SUCCENTOR.
TO-NIGHT, 7.45.
BACH, PASSION, ST. JOHN.
Full Cathedral Choir.
Note change of hour. Will conclude at 9 p.m.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE REQUESTS.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that William Tower Townshend, late of Bodiam Manor, in the County of Sussex, Captain in His Majesty's Army (retired) by his last Will, dated the 6th day of November, 1939, bequeathed:—
To the Kilmacabea Sustentation Fund, County Cork, two hundred pounds.
To the Superintendent for the time being of the Skibbereen Methodist Church, to be applied by him at his discretion for the benefit of the said Church, two hundred pounds.
To the Supernumerary Methodist Ministers and Ministers' Widows Fund, one hundred pounds.
To the Young Men's Christian Association, Marlborough street, Cork, fifty pounds.
To the Young Women's Christian Association, Cork, fifty pounds.

The Testator directed his Trustees hereinafter mentioned to hold his residuary estate in trust for the Salvation Army.

The Testator appointed Robert Capel Bathurst, of 51 Merrion square, Dublin, Solicitor, and Admiral Sir Richard Webb, of Elbridge, Windlesham, Surrey, K.C.M.G., C.B., R.N., to be the Executors and Trustees of his said Will and on the 13th day of April, 1943, Probate of the said Will and six Codicils was granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Eire, to the said Robert Capel Bathurst, the rights to Probate of the said Admiral Sir Richard Webb being reserved.

DATED this 19th day of April, 1943.
S. S. & E. REEVES & SONS, Solicitors for the said Executors, 51 Merrion square, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and to all persons concerned.

CONTRACTS

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.

Tenders are invited for the hire of one or more Road Rollers of 10-tons or heavier. Further particulars, including conditions of hireage, may be obtained from the City Engineer, 28 Castle street, Dublin.

Tenders should be lodged not later than 12 noon on Monday, 3rd May, 1943.

P. J. HERNON, City Manager and Town Clerk.
Dublin, 21st April, 1943.

COMPANY NOTICES.

RANKS (IRELAND), LIMITED.
21st April, 1943.

The Directors of Ranks (Ireland), Limited, report that the Accounts for 1942 are not yet available. They have, however, decided, at a Meeting of the Board, held on Tuesday the 20th April, 1943, to pay an Interim Dividend on the Ordinary Share Capital of 3d. per share, less Income Tax, in respect of the year 1942, payable to holders of such shares registered on the 24th April, 1943, such dividend to be paid on the same date as the final dividend for 1941, viz., 8th May, 1943.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NORTH LEITH PARISH CHURCH.

IT IS PROPOSED TO HAVE A MEMORIAL to the late Rev. J. R. S. WILSON, B.D., former Minister of North Leith Parish Church. Any friends desirous of contributing are asked to send their donations to the Kirk Treasurer, Mr. E. W. Brown, C.A., 90 Constitution street, Leith.

BANKS

STANDARD BANK of SOUTH AFRICA, LIMITED.
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CAPITAL AUTHORISED AND SUBSCRIBED	£10,000,000
CAPITAL PAID UP	£2,500,000
RESERVE FUND	£3,000,000

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200 RESOLUTIONS AT TEACHERS' CONGRESS

The introduction of a standardised spelling of Irish, the provision of marriage allowances for men teachers and abolition of the regulations compelling women teachers to retire on marriage are but some of the demands made in 200 resolutions tabled for discussion at the seventy-fifth annual Congress of the Irish National Teachers' Organisation to be held in University College, Dublin, on April 27, 28 and 29. Actually the 200 resolutions submitted will not be moved separately, but will be covered in a number of general resolutions framed by the Central Executive.

Among other things the resolutions demand full civil rights for teachers in Northern Ireland, a substantial increase in national and public elementary school teachers' remuneration and the introduction of a new pension scheme which will provide for the payment of a lump sum on retirement in addition to pension as at present determined. It is suggested that the total cost of erection, reconstruction and equipment of national schools should be borne by the State and public health authorities made responsible for their upkeep, while the Government is asked to establish a representative commission to plan a system of education more in harmony with our present needs. In appointing this commission regard should be had to such changes in the social order as may be expected in the post-war period.

ARMY ENTERTAINED

More than 2,000 officers and men of the Army attended a performance sponsored by Messrs. Arthur Guinness, Son and Co., Ltd., at the Theatre Royal yesterday afternoon.

"One of the most popular entertainment items this evening has been the community singing, and I think there is a great desire in the hearts of all men to hear their own voices," said Mr. Charles St. J. Joyce, on behalf of Messrs. Arthur Guinness, Son and Co., Ltd.

Captain Cyril McCormack, replying on behalf of the officers and men, said that Messrs. Guinness's product is popular in the Army.

Community singing was led by Eddie Byrne, with George Rothwell at the organ.

SENATE NOMINATING BODIES

The only change in the cultural panel of the register of Nominating bodies under the Seanad Electoral (Panel Members) Act, 1937, as published in *Iris Oifigiúil* last night is that the Dublin Branch of the National Union of Journalists has been substituted for that of the Dublin and Irish Association District of the Institute of Journalists. In the Industrial and Commercial Panel the Federated Employers, Limited, has been changed to the Federated Union of Employers.

DEATHS.

FITZGERALD—April 20, 1943, at his residence, Main street, Fethard, Co. Tipperary, John Fitzgerald, Saddler. Remains will be removed to Parish Church, 6.30 o'c. (O.T.) to-day (Wednesday). Funeral to Redcity to-morrow (Thursday), 12 noon (O.T.).

O'MARA—April 20, 1943, at a private nursing home, Nora O'Mara, 18 Harcourt terrace, Dublin, eldest daughter of the late John O'Mara, Limerick. R.I.P. Funeral arrangements later.

Lieut.-Colonel Charles William Gore, late of 30 Marlborough road, Dublin—£5,102. James Feely, of Kiltyclogher, Co. Leitrim—£3,706.

The Irish Times

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21, 1943.

Taman and Tunisia

Since the Germans recaptured Kharkov there has been relatively little activity on the Russian front. Russians and Germans alike have been feeling the strain of the heavy fighting that took place throughout the winter months, and both sides have been taking advantage of their opportunities to reorganise their forces. In the nature of things, the Russians, who have been attacking since last November, have felt the need of a respite more acutely than the Germans; but during the last few weeks they have been on the offensive again, this time in the Kuban area, and particularly in the Taman Peninsula. On last Friday Soviet troops captured certain important heights in this region. Evidently the Russian High Command is hoping to be able to drive the Germans out of Novorossisk and across the Kerch straits before they shall have had time to perfect their plans for their spring offensive, and both sides for the moment are concentrating their attention on this little patch of land, which looks almost negligible on the map, but actually is of immense importance from the strategical point of view. It was reported yesterday that the Germans, in an effort to forestall the Red Army, had massed between eight and ten divisions, or about 100,000 men, in the Taman tip of the Kuban. Evidently they are determined to retain their grip on the Novorossisk bridgehead, which they hope to use as a springboard for the forthcoming offensive, and have reinforced their garrison by at least two *Panzer* divisions and a strong detachment of aircraft based on the Crimea. Along the remainder of the long front the Russians are pursuing their favourite policy of "nibbling"—a term coined by the late Marshal Joffre during the last war in France. Their idea is to keep the Germans guessing, and from Leningrad to the Black Sea they are maintaining a series of continuous reconnaissances in force, with the result that the German High Command is kept constantly in two minds. On the Upper Donetz the Red Army is holding on like grim death to the bridgehead which it established some weeks ago on the right bank of the river. German reports admit that the Russians enjoy numerical superiority at this point, and it is evident that a ding-dong battle is in progress. The thaws soon will be at an end in Russia. The campaigning season proper is at hand; and there can be small doubt that both sides will make a supreme effort to secure a military decision before the end of the present year. Nearly four years have passed since the Germans invaded Poland. It is nearly two years since they launched their attack on Soviet Russia, and since that time their troops have been virtually in continuous action. The prospect of yet another winter campaign cannot be contemplated by Herr Hitler's generals without a certain amount of real concern; and it is fairly safe to say that the Russian High Command must regard the prospect with almost equal misgivings. During the next few months, therefore, the world may expect to witness some terrific fighting on the Russian front. Henceforward it will be a matter of "*va banque*"; for neither side can afford to play any longer for time. While this titanic struggle is in preparation in the east the British and Americans are accumulating vast numbers of trained men and equally vast quantities of war material in the west. Marshal Rommel's long stand in Tunisia obviously is intended to delay the Allies' plans for the establishment of a second front on the European continent. The longer he can hold out there the more difficult will be the Allied task, and there is a close connection between the German bridgehead in North-Eastern Tunisia and the German bridgehead at Novorossisk. This year is likely to be critical, if not decisive, in the history of the war. The stage is almost set for the *dénouement* of the drama that began on September 1st, 1939.

The Green Liffey

The great battle of St. Patrick's Night still sends its echoes through our national life. Then the strains of saxophones in the Aula Maxima of University College, Dublin, and traditional fiddles within the ancient walls of Dublin Castle competed grimly for the favours of the university students. Young men and women in immaculate evening dress glided to luscious tangos or hopped at the bidding of jigs, according to their view of patriotic duty. With the gentle object of soothing such dissension, which is prejudicial to the best interests of the nation, the Rev. Father Lambe, C.C., has suggested a compromise. He proposes that a new dance should be devised with "an Irish flavour," which might appeal to the ballroom dancer and satisfy the traditionalist. The experts, however, are not enthusiastic. Father Lambe, having set out with the laudable aim of pleasing everybody, seems to have succeeded in pleasing nobody. The traditionalist will tolerate no interference with existing Irish dances, no "mongrel" breeding. He will concede only that the present ballroom dances are undesirable, and that collaboration between the teachers of both kinds of dancing might result in the evolution of some less objectionable forms. The ballroom dancer feels that his style of dancing is an international currency, and that the introduction of new dances with an Irish foundation would destroy this feature. There, it seems, the matter rests. It is a pity. It had possibilities. After all, there would seem to be nothing more sacreligious in combining a "Walls of Limerick" with a Big Apple than in dancing it in evening dress. A recent report, probably baseless, alleges that certain patriotic ballroom dancers are not satisfied with this *impasse*, and intend to make overtures to the Irish dancers. They intend to hold a ball, at which all guests are to be attired in traditional Irish costume. Modern dancing will be the rule; but, to satisfy all parties, the organisers hope to render into Irish the lyrics of such well-known numbers as "When Reuben Does the Cuban." The versions, it is hoped, will be published subsequently by *An Gúm*, and circulated to the schools in the interests of bilingualism.

Hibernian Temperament

The court of Mr. Justice Cocklecarrot seems comparatively tame when compared with some of the legal transactions of recent times. It is necessary, of course, at present to proceed in actions which, in normal times, could not be considered as other than ludicrous; but necessity does not remove the humour, though it justify the occasion of it. There is a famous old song concerning the despair of a diner who was informed that he could "get no bread with one fish-ball." Now, the despised fish-ball, the slighted fish-ball, the fish-ball so mean as to be not even an excuse for the serving of wheaten food, is worth a five-pound fine in the law courts, and the heavy admonition of a judge. The Irishman whose contempt for his food recently merited this penalty was, in fact, fined for wasting meat. It appears that, in a sudden fit of temper, he sprang to his feet in a works canteen and threw his portion of meat on the floor. This, indeed, was the formal charge upon which he was arraigned, and fined five pounds; but it seems clear that the ire of the food-control authorities was fully aroused only when the defendant turned his attention to a fish-cake. "If it had been only one instance," said the prosecutor, "he might have been let off with a warning, making allowance for his Hibernian temperament." Hibernian temperament, apparently, might have been an excuse for treating meat thus cavalierly; but when the defendant, it was alleged, hurled scorn and abuse at a fish-cake, the Ministry of Food leaped forward to avenge the deadly insult. No evidence was given as to the background of the fish-cake. It is possible that it was a very fine old vintage fish-cake, highly prized by the works canteen; it may have been the engraved fish-cake presented by the catering staff to the managing director on the occasion of his golden wedding; it may have been a fish-cake selected, for its outstanding excellence, as a prize to be awarded in the company sports. The magistrates, it is reported, "dismissed a second charge relating to the fish-cake." What could the second charge have been?

THE Countess of Donoughmore has arrived in Dublin from England.

Viscount Suirdale arrived in Dublin from England yesterday, and is staying at the Royal Hibernian Hotel.

Sir John Pritchard-Jones, who has been spending a short time at Multyfarnham, County Westmeath, has returned to England.

Mr. Constant Lambert, who spent the week-end in Dublin, returned to England yesterday.

Professor Erwin Schroedinger is spending a holiday in the West of Ireland.

Mrs. E. Mansergh has returned to County Tipperary from Dublin.

The marriage arranged between Graham Johnson, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson, "Rocksavage," Cork, and Gretta Rachel, daughter of the late Mr. John Moore and of Mrs. Moore, Ocean View, Tramore, will take place at Christ Church, Tramore, on May 25th.

Dr. Geoffrey Bewley will be away from home until Wednesday, 28th April.

Dr. McArevey has left 5 Fitzwilliam place until Thursday, April 29th.

Nurse E. C. Rothwell, 11 Tivoli terrace, Dun Laoghaire, has changed her address to 11 Hatch street, Dublin. Tel.: Nurses' Flat, 64962.

Easter Holidays: Switzer and Co., Ltd., wish to intimate that their Premises (including Restaurant and Soda Fountain) will be closed on next Friday, Saturday and Monday . . re-opening on Tuesday morning.

Walpoles Special Easter Show of Hats is certainly well worth an inspection. See our windows this week—better still, come in to the Show Room. — Walpoles, Suffolk street, Dublin.

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Bring your friends to the Lounge Bar, Four Courts Hotel.

Slenderising Two-piece, in pleated navy crêpe, with long Coat, at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

Perfect foot-fitting is easy with X-ray fitting at Stephens and Bourke.

Chiropody: All Foot Troubles.—N. Devitt, M.N.I.Ch., M.N.S.Ch., 5 Wicklow street. Tel. 21486.

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Sharpley's, Specialists Baby Linen, Nursery Accouchement Sets. Price List.—2 Nassau Street, Dublin.

PRODUCE SALE

The twenty-fifth anniversary Produce Sale, in aid of the Peamount After-Care Guild, was opened at 116 Grafton street yesterday, and it attracted a large attendance. Miss Eva Murphy was in charge of the helpers, who were:—Miss Eva Hackett (Secretary), Mrs. R. J. Leonard and Miss Maura Coffey (Hon. Sale Secretaries), Mr. and Mrs. Allberry, Mrs. Cahill, Mrs. M. Jones, Mrs. Verlin, Mrs. P. Verlin, Mrs. W. Molony, the Misses Bessie MacSwiney, Anne Bacon, Florrie Early, Maureen Harold and Joan Blakeney.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	6.15	6.13
Sets	8.35	8.37
Lighting-up Time	9. 5	9. 7

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	0.39	1.14
Evening	0.58	1.37

ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

6.0—Light Music. 6.25—"An Staca ar an gCarraigín": Sceal nua-cheaptha le Conchubhar O Ruairc, 'a léigheamh ag Aindrias O Muimhneacháin. 6.40—Stock Exchange. Sports Results. Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—"Interlude." 7.15—Office of Tenebrae, relayed from Limerick. 7.45—"The Sacred Passion"—II. Programme by Maura Laverty—produced by J. J. Henry. 8.15—Irish Radio Orchestra. 9.0—"Thrashing It Out," a discussion on Irish Humour, presented by Michael Farrell, with F. J. McCormick, Thomas Collins and Austin Clarke. 9.30—Recital of Spanish Violin Music: Isidore Shlaen. 9.45—Amhráin Mhóra Chonnachta—Uimh. a 4: Sorcha Ní Ghuairim. 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—"Music for Strings."

B.B.C. PROGRAMMES

Times given are Summer Time. Where Double Summer Time is in force add one hour.

HOME SERVICE.

6.0—News. 6.15—Band. 6.30—Exercises. 6.50—Tune for To-day. 6.55—"Lift Up Your Hearts." 7.0—News. 7.15—The Kitchen Front. 7.20—Records. 8.0—Orchestra. 8.25—"Starlight." 8.40—"At Home To-day." 9.0—Holy Week Reading. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—"Two's Company." 10.30—Grieg. 11.0—Orchestra. 11.30—Works Wonders. 12.0—News. 12.15—Radio Allotment. 12.25—Orchestra. 1.10—Hubert Parry. 1.30—Orchestra. 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—Records. 3.5—"Eternity in an Hour." 3.35—Rachmaninoff. 4.0—News in Welsh. 4.20—Children's Hour. 5.0—News. 5.30—Mr Chickery. 5.45—Quartet. 6.15—"Pass the Ammunition." 6.45—Concert. 8.0—News. 8.25—"The Man Born to be King." 9.10—Orchestra. 9.30—Gaelic. 10.0—"And So To Bed." 10.15—Orchestra. 11.0—News.

ALTERNATIVE SERVICE.

5.30—"Reveille." 6.0—News. 6.15—Bands. 6.30—Rhythm on Records. 7.0—News. 7.15—The Kitchen Front. 7.20—Records. 8.0—Orchestra. 8.25—"Starlight." 8.40—Organ. 9.0—Records. 9.15—"Small Change." 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—"Two's Company." 10.30—Band. 11.0—Orchestra. 11.30—Band. 12.0—News. 12.15—"Greetings from Home." 12.45—Jack Payne. 1.15—Organ. 1.30—Orchestra. 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—Records. 3.5—Geraldo. 3.35—"Gramophone Showman." 4.0—"Bandstand." 5.0—News. 5.30—"Forces' Choice." 6.0—American Sports. 6.5—"The World Goes By." 6.30—B.B.C. Dancing Club. 7.30—Northern Music-Hall. 8.0—News. 8.25—The Radio Padre. 8.40—"London Town." 9.15—"The Wednesday Story." 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Close down.

FOOD REQUIREMENTS SURVEY

At the outbreak of the war Eire was the only country in Europe without a nutrition programme based on a survey of the food requirements of man, livestock and the soil, Professor W. R. Fearon told an *Irish Times* reporter yesterday. "For some years prior to the war I have urged the need for such a survey," said Dr. Fearon, "and with Dr. S. C. Dockeray I carried out a preliminary survey in Dublin in 1939, and recently the demands made upon my time by such research have compelled me to abandon many other activities, such as my post on the Censorship Board, and my membership of various committees not connected with work of immediate national importance.

The value of such a survey should be obvious, Dr. Fearon continued. It provides a tabulation of the needs of the community in terms of the chief dietary constituents necessary for health; it shows to what extent a country is able to meet its national requirements while maintaining its export trade, and indicates in advance what shortages will arise as a result of war and similar conditions, and how far these shortages can be met by food control, rationing, increased production and development of alternative sources of supply.

Although a certain amount of interest and sympathy was aroused by Dr. Fearon's preliminary survey, no effort was made to approach the subject on national lines until the establishment, in 1941, of the Dietetic Council of the Medical Association of Eire, the first body of its kind to be set up in this country. The Emergency Research Bureau has directed much of its skill to problems arising out of the food shortage, and the Medical Research Council, from its very small resources, has subsidised research on food problems of immediate importance.

There still remains much to be done, said Dr. Fearon, and now is the time to tackle the problem.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—8 and 11, H.C. in the Lady Chapel. 10, Matins; the Succentor. 4, Evensong (men's voices). 8, Bach's Passion Music according to St. John (Part II.).

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—10.45, Matins. 11.30, H.C. in the Lady Chapel. 1.25, Lunch-hour Service; Canon L. P. Hill. 3, Evensong (men's voices only).

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH.—8, H.C. 10.30, Matins. 5, Reading from the "Imitation of Christ." 8, Evensong (boys' voices); Rev. N. Waring.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—8.30 and 11.30; 9.45, Intercession. 8.15, E.P.; Rev. E. W. Greening.

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH, Ranelagh.—8.15, Rev. N. H. Hamilton.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Rathmines.—7.30 and 11.15, H.C. 8, Canon Tobias: "What we see in Jesus." III.: The Man of Mercy.

ZION CHURCH, Rathgar.—8 and 11.15, H.C. 8 p.m., Rev. W. C. de Pauley, D.D.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, Suffolk street.—12, Intercessions. 8, Rev. D. H. Clarke.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH, Dawson street.—11.30, H.C. 1.5-1.30, Lunch-hour Service; Rev. Martin Parsons. 8.15, Evensong; the Vicar.

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, Lower Leeson street (the Church's Ministry of Healing).—8, H.C. 3, Healing Service, with Laying-on of Hands and Address; Rev. M. L. Ferrar.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Phibsboro' road.—8, H.C. 9, Matins. 10, Children. 8, Evensong and Sermon; Rev. E. G. Daunt.

ST. WERBURGH'S CHURCH.—8 p.m., Rev. J. Alcock.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—8 p.m., Rev. A. T. McNutt. Subject: "Pilate."

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH.—11, Rev. Dr. Emerson.

THE Easter Sunday Church Service announcements will appear to-morrow. Correspondents are asked to send them in as early as possible. Closing hour this evening at 6 o'c.

MONKSTOWN PARISH CHURCH.—11.30, H.C. 8, "Christ and His Mother"; Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs.

RATHFARNHAM PARISH CHURCH.—8, H.C. 11.30, Litany. 8, Holy Week Service; Rev. Martin Parsons.

CLONTARF PARISH CHURCH.—9, M.P. 11.5, Litany. 7.30, Holy Week Service; Rev. Professor Hartford.

ST. PHILIP'S PARISH CHURCH, Temple road.—11.15, Holy Week Service. 7.45, Rev. Michael L. Ferrar.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, Dalkey.—11.30, Intercessions; Rev. C. C. W. Browne. 8, Preparation Service for Easter; the Rector.

ST. MARY'S, Donnybrook.—8 and 11, H.C. 10.15, Matins. 8.15, Canon Hemming.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH.—8 p.m., Rev. R. J. Kerr. To-morrow—7.30, H.C. 8, Rev. R. J. Kerr.

CHRIST CHURCH, Dun Laoghaire—8, H.C. 11.30, H.C. 8, E.P.; Rev. Richard Hanson, B.D.

SANTRY PARISH CHURCH.—8, E.P.; Rev. W. A. M. Cox.

GLASNEVIN PARISH CHURCH, Ballymun road.—8, E.P.; Rev. W. T. Grey. To-morrow—H.C. at 7.45.

SANDYMOUNT METHODIST.—8 p.m., Rev. R. A. Lockhart.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH CHURCH.—7.30, H.C. 10.30, M.P. 8, Rev. M. Handy, Vicar of Whitechurch.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, DUBLIN, Lr. Baggot street, is a branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass. Services: Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday Testimony Meeting, 7.45 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room (same address) open daily, except Saturdays from 2 to 5; Sundays, 6-7 p.m.

CHARLESTON ROAD METHODIST CHURCH, Rathmines.—8, "Olivet to Calvary" (Cantata).

SACRED CANTATA

Kingstown Methodist Church (Dun Laoghaire) choir will sing the Sacred Cantata, "Olivet to Calvary" (Maunder) to-night, at 7.30. The soloists will be Mrs. George McRea (soprano), Mr. W. G. Page (tenor), and Mr. Harry Yoakley (baritone), Mrs. O. P. Williams, L.R.A.M., at the organ.

CRUISKEEN LAWN

By Myles na gCopaleen.

RECENTLY I was taking a walk through the lanes and by-ways of the poorer quarter of Dublin. (The other three-quarters are very opulent, of course.) I was passing what appeared to be an old stable and was attracted by curious swishing noises. Thinking that something was amiss, I stopped and knocked loudly at the door. There was no response but the queer noise continued. I tried the latch and the door opened. I found myself in what appeared to have been an old livery establishment in by-gone times. In a far corner of the stable an old hopeless-looking man was flogging a dead horse. I spoke to him sharply and made him put away his whip. He promised never to do this again. After admonishing him, I took my leave but had hardly closed the door behind me when the swishing sound re-started. A very hardened case. (Would you say that porters at railway stations have very case-hardened hands and shoulders?)

Talking of horses, I am reminded of a story about Keats. The poet when living in the country purchased an expensive chestnut gelding. This animal was very high-spirited and largely untrained and gave the novice owner a lot of trouble. First it was one thing, then another but finally he was discovered one morning to have disappeared from his stable. Foul play was not suspected nor did the poet at this stage adopt the foolish expedient of locking the stable door. On the contrary he behaved very sensibly. He examined the stable to ascertain how the escape had been effected and then travelled all over the yard on his hands and knees looking for traces of the animal's hooves. He was like a dog looking for a trail, except that he found a trail where many a good dog would have found nothing. Immediately the poet was off cross-country following the trail. It happened that Chapman was on a solitary walking-tour in the vicinity and he was agreeably surprised to encounter the poet in a remote mountainy place. Keats was walking quickly with his eyes on the ground and looked very preoccupied. He had evidently no intention of stopping to converse with Chapman. The latter, not understanding his friend's odd behaviour, halted and cried:

"What are you doing, old man?"

"Dogging a fled horse," Keats said as he passed by.

(Interval here for fearful racking and cudgelling of "brains" to find some other uproarious joke centering on "horse." Hogging a led horse. (or a lead horse?). No, that won't do, light a cigarette and try again. H-O-R-S-E. Horse, shore. The horse is on the shore. Heros. Or she. She or shore-horse heros. He or she or sore heros. Rose, roes. Or ores? Horse-sores or shore-roses? Heros' hose

No, no.

But do you remember that business at U.C.D., the students playing a hose down on the public from a high window Well it occurs to me that this never happened at all, the whole thing was a misprint. These students (as you well know from your own university days) are full of health and spirits. They are very given to horse-play and that is all they were guilty of on the evening in question. The printer, of course, made it hose-play, thus giving the public a totally wrong impression of this important establishment.

GRAZING FOR FILM HORSES

Grazing facilities are being arranged for the several hundred horses which will mount players in the Laurence Olivier film, "Henry the Fifth," soon to go into production at Enniskerry, County Wicklow. A large field adjoining the boundary wall of the Powerscourt estate will be rented for the purpose. Many of the horses already have been gathered together in County Dublin, where their handlers are being besieged by "film-struck" riders, who have ambitions to bestride them before the cameras.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Washing Soda Plentiful. — Washing soda is at present plentiful, and supplies can be had from all the shops which usually stock it at the controlled price of 1½d. per pound.

Kerosene Applicant Fined.—Robert Mullan, 2 Rogan's Cottages, was fined 5/- in Dublin District Court for having applied for registration as a domestic user of kerosene, he not being a domestic user.

Clare Hall Burning.—At Clare Circuit Court, before Judge T. O'Donnell, Patrick Flynn, Ballyalla, was awarded £250 compensation for the burning of a local hall. After the burning of the hall a young man was arrested and is awaiting trial by the Military Tribunal.

L.D.F. Ceremony at Carnew.—The colours of Baltinglass District, L.D.F., will be blessed next Sunday at Tomacork Parish Church, Carnew, Co. Wicklow, by Very Rev. J. Canon Prandy, P.P., V.F., also those of Carnew and Ballyellis companies.

New Potatoes in May.—The most extensive crop of ultra-early potatoes ever sown in Ireland is making excellent progress in South-East Wexford. The potatoes, which are for the export market and will be ready to dig in May, have been inspected by Mr. J. McLean, Department of Agriculture instructor.

Remanded on Theft Charges.—Corporal Daniel Byrne (26), 29 Ring street, Inchicore, was remanded by Senior Justice Hannan in Dublin yesterday on charges of breaking into Messrs. A. Sloan and Co., Ltd., Parliament street, and stealing articles of clothing value £80.

Suspensory Sentence for Killester Man.—At Kilmainham yesterday, before District Justice Reddin, Charles Nolan, School avenue, Killester, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment, suspended on his paying a fine of £2, £1 compensation and costs, for stealing two rubber horse-car tyres.

Jailed for Giving Light Weight.—At Kilmainham yesterday, before District Justice Reddin, James McDonnell, Usher's Island, Dublin, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment, with hard labour, for obtaining £2 10/5 by having represented that he sold two tons of wood blocks, whereas he delivered only 1 ton 3 cwt. 20lb. Notice of appeal was given.

"Golden Fleece" at Peacock Theatre.—As from Easter Monday, for one week only, Premiere Productions will revive Brendan Smith's "Golden Fleece" at the Peacock Theatre, Dublin. This comedy-drama, which deals with the situations created in a Dublin suburban neighbourhood by the arrival of two French refugees, was first produced successfully last October. For the revival the leading parts will be filled by Daphne Carroll, Beryl Fagan, Donald Carlisle and Peter Mortished.

Charged With Conspiracy and Theft.—Matthew Logan (35), Upper Mount street; John Wm. Armstrong (22), Primrose Dairy, Milltown, dairyman; and Patrick Logan, cycle mechanic, Charlemont Mall, were remanded by Senior Justice Hannan, in Dublin, on a charge of conspiring, with two other men in custody and others not in custody, to steal, and with stealing, property value £717 from Messrs. Clery and Co., Upper O'Connell street. Thomas Elliott (30), Victoria street, S.C. road, painting contractor, was also remanded on a charge of receiving some of the property. Bail was allowed.

NEW TRIAL DIRECTED

The Supreme Court (Mr. Justice Murnaghan, Mr. Justice Geoghegan and Mr. Justice O'Byrne) yesterday directed a new trial, limited to the question of damages, in an action brought by a boy, Michael Roantree, 32 Derry road, Crumlin, Dublin, against Sabatini Capaldi, ice-cream merchant, 9 Berkeley street, Dublin, for damages for injuries suffered on September 1, 1942, when he was struck by the defendant's motor van.

The appeal was brought on the grounds that the damages of £350 awarded by the jury were grossly inadequate.

Mr. J. A. McCarthy, K.C., Mr. Kingsmill Moore, K.C., and Miss Deverell (instructed by Mr. C. B. W. Boyle) appeared for the boy; and Mr. J. M. Fitzgerald, K.C., Mr. Lavery, K.C., and Mr. Pringle (instructed by Messrs. Good and Murray) for Capaldi.

ROSSE COLLEGE (Ladies' Dept.), Stephen's Gn., Dublin. Thorough Office Training. Preparation for Civil Service Exams., Bank Clerkships, &c. Classes resume on Wed., 28th April. —(Advt.)

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON.

TUESDAY NIGHT.

SOME time ago Mr. Hudson's Department pointed out that the sparrow was a harmful bird, and said that its nests and eggs should be destroyed. To-day the Ministry has made an appeal of a different kind, that is not to destroy or harm in any way the nests or eggs of other small birds. Many of Britain's resident birds are nesting now, and soon the visitors from overseas will be nesting, too. Most of these birds, both residents and visitors, take a leading part in the campaign against insect and other pests. Tits, flycatchers, wagtails, warblers, whitethroats—all these are in the front rank of the farmer's feathered friends, so are the robin, the wren, the hedge sparrow, the swallow, and many others.

"Henry the Fifth"

A serious attempt to make the first good Shakespeare picture was how the filming in technicolour of "Henry the Fifth" was described to-day. Mr. Alan Dent and Mr. Laurence Olivier have prepared the "treatment," and it will have the most distinguished cast that can be assembled in Britain to-day. Mr. Dent, a Scotsman, is the well-known dramatic and film critic and writer. He was for some years secretary to Mr. James Agate, who refers frequently to his assistant's extraordinary knowledge of literature and the theatre in the "Ego" books.

Agincourt Scenes

It will be very interesting to see how the Battle of Agincourt scenes are handled at Powerscourt. In the actual battle Henry staked everything upon an attempt to cut his way through the dense mass of the French with his entire force of no more than four thousand men, and was successful. He had three thousand archers, the remainder were knights and men at arms who fought dismounted. Henry's archers took the offensive lightly clad at best and now tattered and travel stained. The French men at arms claimed the foremost place as a privilege, and stood thirty-one deep; their archers were kept at the rear of the division, where they could not shoot.

According to Mileage

Mr. L. H. Hounsfield, a past president of the Institute of Automobile Engineers, advanced the suggestion to-day that when motoring is resumed after the war costs should correspond with the motorists' use of the roads. "The initial cost of a small car is a low annual charge in comparison with the road tax, insurance and depreciation. A 'big' user of the roads may motor for as little as ½d. a mile, while a little man may pay as much as 11d. a mile." Mr. Hounsfield has planned a mileage recording instrument, and a surcharge meter to enable the authorities to charge £1 a thousand miles, part of which would be handed over to the insurance companies.

Coupon Changes for Socks

Until to-day all men's socks have required three coupons; now socks up to 9½ inches in the foot can be had for only one coupon. This means that men who wear shoes up to 5½, or possibly 6, will have two coupons to the good for other needs. An important loophole has been closed to-day with the pointing of previously coupon-free shaped materials, including glove shapes, ready for making up. More than one Oxford street window has been given over to a display of shaped materials for several months. The new regulation is likely to affect home dressmakers.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Kings of the Road

I have heard and read a lot about the happy-go-lucky antics of cyclists since the motor-cars went off the road; but my own observation is that the cyclist is a model of law and order in comparison with the driver of the horse-drawn vehicle.

Horse-drawn traffic, of course, never has given a twopenny hoot for traffic regulations, but in the old days it at least respected the traffic lights. Not so nowadays. Station yourself at any crossing, and I am almost willing to bet a week's stipend that four out of every five cabs, drays and other one-horse-power vehicles show no recognition whatsoever of the red light.

And catch one of them driving at the side of the road. Yet, the other day I saw an unhappy cyclist pulled up by a policeman for riding on the left side of a monstrous dray that complacently pursued its course along the very middle of the tram-lines. To have passed it on the outside would have been a quick way to the other world. The policeman was acting with strict legality, but—?

Poets and Hunger Marchers

How far the Easter Rising of 1916 was due to social discontent, and how far to national idealism, is a question that has often been debated.

We have all heard the expression "A Poets' Revolution" used to describe a conflict in which Pearse, Plunkett, and MacDonagh took a leading part. But nobody should undervalue Connolly's social revolutionary influence.

The "History of the Irish Citizen Army," written by Mr. R. M. Fox and officially endorsed by the Citizen Army Organisation—which is due for publication in Dublin this spring—should serve to draw attention to one of the forces which made that remarkable movement of 1916.

Rising out of the turbulence of the 1913 industrial conflict, the Citizen Army became later—under Connolly's influence—an armed and disciplined force for use in 1916. This Citizen Army lasted from 1913 to 1923—ten years of social warfare and national militancy.

Lace Workers and Design

A few weeks ago the Dublin Rotary Club was discussing a proposal that a Minister of Fine Arts should be appointed in order to encourage distinction in Irish products for the home market and for export.

In Nottingham, however, the Federation of Lace and Embroidery Employers' Associations have decided to award free scholarships to boys and girls who demonstrate talent in design and draughtsmanship. The scholarships will be tenable at the Nottingham College of Art and Crafts, which was founded by lace manufacturers and others as long ago as April 1, 1843. Its purpose was to give "elementary instruction, instruction in design for manufactures and in the history, principles and practice of ornamental art."

This is an example of what can be initiated by private enterprise, without waiting for State action. Some of the old lace-makers of Youghal have been unexcelled for the beauty and delicacy of their work. But has anything been done to preserve and develop their skill?

"The Waterhouse Clock"

For once in a way I am delighted to be under the necessity of printing a correction. Yesterday morning I remarked that a landmark of Victorian Dublin — namely, the famous Waterhouse clock in Dame street—had "passed away."

Mr. S. H. Waterhouse informs me that the celebrated clock has not "passed away" at all. It has been removed for renovation, and is expected to be in position and going—mark that last word!—possibly before Easter.

Well, there, anyhow, is a breach, if not with old Dublin, with Dublin of the past twelve or fifteen years. It must be at least that time since the hands of the hundred-year-old clock last moved.

QUIDNUNC.

MEDITERRANEAN AERO-NAVAL

BY OUR MILITARY CORRESPONDENT.

THE present lull in the Tunisian land fighting affords a chance of taking stock of the aerial and naval operations in the Mediterranean theatre, which continue without any diminution—indeed, quite the contrary. It continues to puzzle many why the Axis Powers have not made an all-out bid to even up the air-fighting position in this region. For well over half a year the Allies have enjoyed a general superiority of aircraft in the African fighting. This is so, despite temporary local and tactical air-superiority of the Axis upon occasion. No doubt there are several reasons for the Axis decision—all dictated by strictly military considerations. Let us try and make out what these reasons are likely to be.

The chief would seem to be that, while Tunisia is the main Allied front—in the "initiative" sense—it is secondary for the Axis. For them the Russian front comes first. So long as they hope to secure a major victory against Russia, that long it would be faulty to send to the African theatre more 'planes than they can conveniently afford to send. By "'planes" in this contest is meant "'planes of operational types." Transports are different; and these will be considered later.

DEFENSIVE MEASURES

Having decided not to attempt a major disputing of the Mediterranean sky in an offensive way, the Axis have, apparently, concentrated on economical defensive measures. Last week General Eisenhower was asked what were the chief problems confronting him in the immediate future? He replied in part: "First, Rommel's mastery of the utilisation of light flak, which was now concentrated in the tip of Tunisia." As the attempt is not being made to dispute with fighters to any great extent, this is the best way to keep forts and docks safeguarded against low and accurate bombing. The requisite materials can be transported and installed, and supplied without too much trouble.

Light flak, however, cannot replace fighters for all purposes—by reason of its being fixed instead of mobile. It cannot, for example, protect the transport aircraft now, apparently, being employed on a big scale. The engagement of April 18th is a case in point. We learn that, "More than 100 JU 52s — heavy transport aircraft—accompanied by strong fighter escort, took off early in the afternoon from somewhere in N.W. Tunisia." We are not told how "strong" the escort was. It must have been fairly important, seeing that it shot down nine of the attackers. But only the strongest of escorts could really protect such a number of unwieldy, slow transport aircraft starting out in broad daylight. The fact that the transports in question were returning empty would be an imperfect consolation.

AXIS BOMBERS ACTIVE

It would, however, be a mistake to think that the Axis are doing nothing in the Mediterranean just now. Their bombers are steadily operating against Allied shipping. The progressive loss of the African aerodromes does not affect such operations; because the aircraft carrying them out are based on Sardinia, Sicily, Crete, etc. This, indeed, is one reason for the Allied air raids on the islands in question. These particular bombardments may quite possibly result in drawing back large *Luftwaffe* forces that it has not been thought worth while engaging on the African side of the Mediterranean. Only time will show.

The inter-linking of operational fronts is well exemplified by such operations as the air-bombardment of Spezzia, which was carried out by long-range, heavy nocturnal bombers based on Britain. Modern technical advances in meteorology, radio, etc., have made this kind of long-distance co-operation a relatively easy business. Hitherto there was not much scope for the like; because the aerial striking-forces based on Africa were not sufficiently important. Things are different now, in view of the accumulation there of powerful American aerial concentrations.

OPERATIONS FROM MALTA

In the strictly naval sphere—apart from submarine action, which has not ceased at any time—there appears to be a distinct increase of light surface activity in the Sicilian Straits. The Allied naval forces can now be based once again on Malta, because all the African coasts immediately south and west of the island are now in Allied hands. Malta, consequently, is no longer surrounded, as it were: the only hostile positions now are those towards the N.W. and North. Freedom of action for offensive naval operations has, therefore, been once again won back for the island. For the present we are unlikely to see any but light forces in action. It would be only reasonable to assume that the Sicilian Channel is strongly mined; and the Allies have no commander better qualified to size-up the worth-whileness or otherwise of a risk than Admiral Cunningham.

Aero-naval operations in this theatre are certain to become ever more intense. Any increase in Allied sea-traffic—whether of warships or transports—will assuredly draw an increased bombing effort from the Axis. This, in turn, will entail an increased Allied air effort—altogether apart from any aerial offensive of their own. Whatever happens, Bizerta and Tunis will resist for an important interval yet. It will be an aerial interval. On April 19 the German radio spoke of the great Allied air strength in the Mediterranean; this strength is certain to increase.

CHRIST CHURCH, LEESON PARK

The Sacred Cantata, "Olivet to Calvary," will be sung by the choir of Christ Church, Leeson Park, on Good Friday evening at 7.30.

This work is written in two parts for two solo voices, tenor and baritone, and chorus, and interspersed with Hymns.

The entire Service will conclude before nine o'clock. The soloists will be Mrs. Olive Horne, Mr. J. R. McCullagh and Mr. Thompson Dawson.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

Announcements in this Column (which in all cases must be authenticated) are charged at the rate of 1/- per line (minimum 3/-).

BIRTHS.

BODKIN—April 7, 1943, at St. Anthony's Hospital, Cheam, to Lena (*née* Wright), wife of Dr. N. J. Bodkin, 14 Elsenham street, London, a brother for Patrick and Margaret.

COPE—April 9, 1943, at Knocknagee, Carlow, to Ivy and Richard Cope, a son.

DOYLE—April 15, 1943, at 93 Lower Baggot street, to Moira, wife of Thomas A. Doyle, 133 North Circular road, a daughter.

GARGAN—April 15, 1943, at Mallow, to Mai, wife of D. J. Gargan, B.A.I., a son.

HEALY—March 25, 1943, at Simla, India, to Nora, wife of Rowland H. S. Healy, I.C.S., a daughter.

JACKSON—April 12, 1943, at Racefield, Kilcullen, Co. Kildare, to Kay, wife of William B. Jackson, a daughter.

LEONARD—April 16, 1943, at the Leinster Nursing Home, to Barbara (*née* Considine), wife of Simon A. Leonard, St. Kevin's, Dartry road, Dublin, a son.

McCULLAGH—April 12, 1943, at Hatch street Nursing Home, to Morna, wife of Eric McCullagh, 41 Highfield road, a son.

O'CALLAGHAN—April 15, 1943, at the City and County Hospital, Londonderry, to Violet, wife of James Westropp O'Callaghan, Grainan View, Shantallow, Co. Londonderry, a son.

QUINN—April 15, 1943, at Stella Maris Nursing Home, to Rosaleen, wife of Desmond J. Quinn, 64 Northumberland road, a son.

TROUGHTON-SMITH—April 13, 1943, at Stella Maris Nursing Home, to Dorothy Elizabeth (*née* Anderson, of Alexandria, Egypt), wife of Sq.-Leader P. P. Troughton-Smith, R.A.F., a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

KEMP and RAMAGE—April 18, 1943, at St. Matthew's Church, Blythswood, Glasgow, by Rev. Alexander Spark, John Ernest Kemp, eldest son of the late John James Kemp and Mrs. Kemp, formerly of 10 Moyne road, Rathmines, to Elizabeth Ramage, Shawlands, Glasgow.

RHODES and BURGES—March 31, 1943, at All Saints' Church, Hertford, by the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of St. Albans, Lieut. Philip Montague Rhodes, Royal Navy, son of the late Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. Rhodes, of Milford-on-Sea, to Bula Burges, daughter of the Rev. P. F. L. and Mrs. Burges, All Saints' Vicarage, Hertford, and grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. A. Harris, Cahervillehow, Golden, Co. Tipperary.

DEATHS.

BENSON—April 19, 1943, Brigadier Ralph H. R. Benson, R.A., younger son of Lady Benson, Chauntry House, Bray, Berks., and of the late Sir Ralph Benson, I.C.S.

BUTTERWORTH—April 16, 1943, at Paignton, Mary, widow of Commander Butterworth, R.N., daughter of Rev. J. Chamney, Dromiskin, aged 79.

CROLY—William Henry, of Hazelhurst, Burnham, Bucks., only son of the late Dr. William Johnson Croly, dearly-loved grandson of Henry Croly, M.D., and Isabella, of Greenfield, Rathfarnham.

DUNNE—April 19, 1943, at Lisieux, John street, Kells, Co. Meath, Margaret, relict of James Dunne, formerly Manager of Hibernian Bank, Tullamore. Funeral leaves Kells to-morrow (Thursday) about 2.30 p.m. for Clonminch Cemetery, Tullamore.

JACKSON—March 26, 1943, Maver Lyall Palmer Jackson, aged 38 years, elder son of the late L. P. Jackson and of Mrs. Jackson, Kilteelagh, Nenagh.

MacNAMARA—April 20, 1943, at "Angelus," Grange road, Rathfarnham, Agnes, relict of the late John MacNamara. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to St. Mary's Church, Rathfarnham, this (Wednesday) evening at 6.15. Funeral (private) to Glasnevin to-morrow (Thursday) at 9 a.m.

NEWBURN—April 20, 1943, at his residence, 39 Raglan road, Joseph May, loving husband of Elizabeth J. Newburn. Funeral and house private. No letters, please.

PHAIR—April 19, 1943, at her residence, Main street, Belturbet, Catherine Phair, beloved mother of Phair Bros., motor engineers. Funeral to Belturbet Parish Church and Cemetery at 3 p.m. to-day (Wednesday).

SARGEANT—April 18, 1943, at her son's residence, 38A Park avenue, Sandymount, Jane Thompson, widow of Benjamin Sargeant, late of St. Catherine's terrace, S.C. road, in her 87th year. Funeral private, arriving Mount Jerome 11.45 a.m. to-day (Wednesday). No flowers. "Underneath are the Everlasting Arms."

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 3.

IN MEMORIAM.

DAVIS—Sara, died April 21, 1937, in Jersey. In ever-loving memory. R.I.P.

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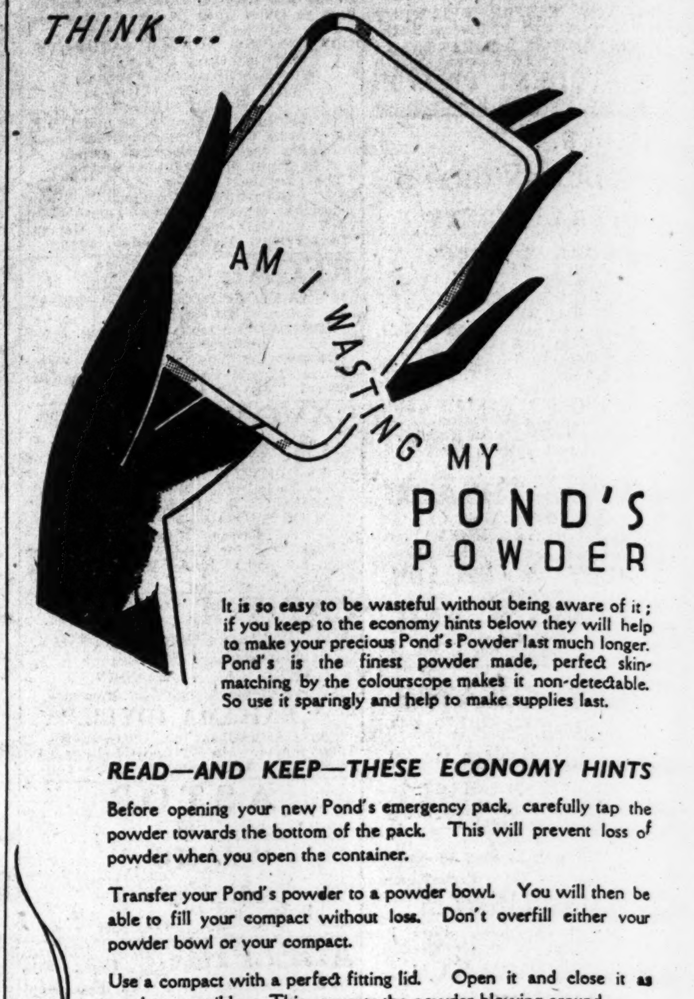
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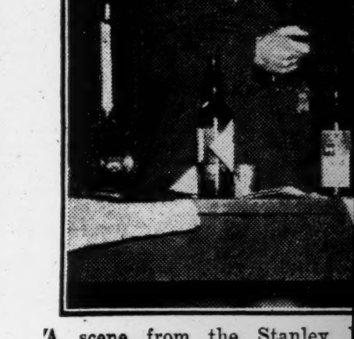
The Air Ministry communiqué stated:—"On Tuesday night Lancasters, Halifaxes and Stirlings of Bomber Command made a very heavy attack on the Baltic port of Stettin. The weather was good, and bombing was well concentrated. At the same time Stirlings heavily bombed the port and the Heinkel works at Rostock. While these two attacks were in progress, Mosquitoes of Bomber Command attacked Berlin.

"Mines were also laid in enemy waters. Fighters and fighter-bombers attacked locomotives and barges in France, the Low Countries and North-west Germany, and shipping off the Belgian coast.

"From all these operations 31 aircraft of Bomber Command are missing."

Stettin is one of the principal supply ports for the German forces in North Russia, while Rostock, another important Baltic port, has a train ferry service to Denmark, and thence to Norway and Finland. Both ports have submarine building yards, and Rostock is also the home of the Heinkel aircraft works. The distance to Stettin and back is some...

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